

Voting On Reciprocity

HEAVY VOTE CAST

Conservative Leader Thinks That Laurier Will Be Defeated

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 21.—That the voice of the Canadian electorate as expressed through the ballot box today would determine whether Robert Laurier would continue as the leader of the conservative party or give way to another man is the opinion of many of Mr. Borden's friends. Should the conservative party fail to oust the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier from office today, Mr. Borden will have met his

parliament for the division, was opposed by Hon. A. K. MacLean and Dr. Edward Blackadder, liberals. Some prophets predicted the election of Borden and MacLean, but the leaders of both sides declined to concede the success of even one of the opposing candidates, in Halifax.

A Strong Opponent Although Hon. W. S. Fielding, the

minister of militia and defense in the Laurier cabinet, was generally conceded. He was opposed by E. Dew Foster in Kings county. Sir Frederick was well known in the United States. He is a frequent visitor to Boston. He was graduated from the Harvard medical school in 1888. He and his cousin, the conservative leader, are descendants of the Massachusetts Bordenes, some of whom came to Nova Scotia in revolutionary times. The name of Borden is still true to its name is evident from a perusal of the list of the candidates in today's election. The lineup includes: such patriots as Chisholm, McKenzie, McKinnon, McLellan, McLean, MacDonald, McCormick, McCurdy, Cameron, Jamieson, Gilles, and Stewart.

Campaigners Busy The province has been well covered by the campaigners. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Robert L. Borden have toured a large section of the mainland. To the last parliament the liberals sent 12 members and the conservatives six. In the general election before the last one, the liberals elected a solid delegation of 18, which was later reduced to 17 by the loss of Colchester county in a special election held to fill a vacancy. In the last election the liberal candidates in Nova Scotia received a total vote of 58,583 and the conservatives 44,600. It will thus be seen that the popular vote was close.

Each side claimed that it would elect a majority of the parliamentary delegation today. Several hundred Nova Scotians residing in New England employed on American fishing vessels returned to vote today. While a considerable percentage of fishermen are said to be opposed to reciprocity their voting strength was generally well distributed among half a dozen coast counties and was not regarded as an important factor in the result, except possibly in Shelburne-Queens, which is Charles Minister Fielding's district, where close voting prevailed at numerous points.

The liberals claim a gain of four seats due to the popularity of reciprocity but admit a probable loss of two because of local issues. These two are the north riding of Cape Breton county and Pictou. In the coal districts, which includes the Cape Breton districts and Pictou, the mining interests oppose reciprocity, which they fear might eventually place them in keen competition with American coal.

The storm last night cleared away at an early hour and the weather was warm and bright throughout the province. Last night was the liveliest politically. That Halifax has ever seen, and the excitement continued today. A

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ambulance and he's going to keep the matter going until an ambulance has been landed within the boundaries of his department. He called at city hall this forenoon to consult with the city solicitor as to the right of the board of charity to buy an ambulance out of its regular appropriation. Instead of calling for a special appropriation, the city solicitor said he would think it over and if he opines that the board has the right to buy the machine out of its regular appropriations, Mr. Howe will call a special meeting of the board to take action on the purchase of same.

SOLEMN SERVICE

The Funeral of the Late Brother Biller

The imposing funeral of the late Bro. John Biller, O. M. I., took place this morning at the Tewksbury novitiate, and was largely attended by friends of the deceased and members of the Oblate order. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated for the repose of his soul by Very Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., provincial of the order, assisted by Rev. Michael Hummel, O. M. I., and Rev. Edwin J. Strauss, O. M. I., as deacon and sub deacon respectively.

The schola choir rendered the Gregorian chant, Bro. English presiding at the organ, the solos being sustained by Bros. McArthur and Haley. Attending the funeral were Rev. W. Geo. Mullin, St. Peter's church, Lowell; Rev. B. C. Shea, Brighton seminary; Rev. Wm. Kirwin, O. M. I., Buffalo; Rev. Frs. Lamothe, Denison, Blais and McDermott, O. M. I., Lowell; Rev. Frs. P. J. McKenna, H. J. Racette, P. J. Echean, W. J. Plaisance, Robert Barrett, Legionnaire, Audubon and Barry, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury novitiate together with the schola choir and novices of the institution.

The bearers were lay brothers of the order, namely: Bros. Hedell, Lawrence, John O'Neil, John Lebeueck, John Biliski, Francis Murphy and Louis Desjardins.

After the mass the cortege proceeded to the mortuary, where burial took place. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Peter Davey.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICE

Funeral of the Late Catherine L. Dalton

With impressive obsequies the remains of the late Catherine Louise Dalton, the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dalton, were consigned to their final resting place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, this morning. On all sides was apparent sorrow for the bereaved family in its loss. Especially was this no little in the large funeral cortege, which left the house of mourning, 55 Nesmith street, at 9:30 o'clock and wended its way to the church of the Immaculate Conception, where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev.

Edward J. Fox, O. M. I., the confessor of the deceased, assisted by Rev. Owen McQuade, O. M. I., as deacon and Rev. Lawrence Tighe, O. M. I., pastor of the church as sub-deacon. The choir, which was augmented by members of the other Catholic church choirs of the city, sang Schubert's requiem mass. The solos were sustained by Prof. P. P. Haggerty and Edward Shea. At the cemetery the funeral hymn, "The Lord is my strength," was sung by Edward Shea. Mr. William Gookin sang the "De Profundis" after the elevation. At the conclusion of the mass, "O Meritum Passionis" was sung by Andrew McCarthy, "Quoniam Corpus" taken from Rosini's Stabat Mater was given by the choir, assisted by James E. Donnelly as the soloist, was being carried from the church. The solos of the choir were taken by Mrs. Hugh J. Walker, who also presided at the organ. Mr. Joseph P. Courtney directed the choir.

The ushers at the house and church were Messrs. Joseph McCaffrey, Harry Welch, Eugene Queenan and Richard A. O'Connell. The bearers were Messrs. Andrew McCarthy, Joseph Haggerty, Thomas P. Kelley, Dr. William M. Collins, Arthur McQuade and William T. Gookin.

Although it was the wish of the family that no floral offerings be sent, there was a profusion of them, and prominent among them were the following: wreath from the family, from the sorrow-stricken family, wreath from the Shanley family, wreath from Messrs. Carlin & Spillane, wreath from the Dunham family, wreath from the Misses Calkins, standing wreath on base from William Gookin, cross on base from the Misses Tighe and Rowan family, cross on base, Miss Mary Welch; broken lyre, Thomas H. Welch and family; spiritual bouquets from Wm. E. Walsh and family, Miss Margaret Fox, Mrs. Philip D. Murphy, and the Harrington family; baskets from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wall, "A Friendship" and Miss Catherine MacFarlane, sprays from Mr. and Mrs. William Kearns, Miss E. Greenhouse, Miss Stella Laphoe, Mr. Fred Provencher, Miss Annie Barry, Miss Mary Crotty, M. A. Madigan and family, Miss Margaret and Alice Knowles, Miss A. White, Jeremiah Dalton on an uncle of the deceased and Mr. Frederick T. Fox. The following young ladies, Miss Anna Barrows, Elizabeth Finnegan, Elizabeth Hennessy, Winifred Phil, Blanche Walsh and Carmen Rediker, members of the orchestra of the Notre Dame academy, in which the deceased had been "cello soloist," sent a beautiful basket of flowers.

The out-of-town people present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Munger, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wall, Miss Annie Dalton, Mr. John Dalton and Miss Annie Barry of Haverhill; Mrs. T. A. McCarthy and son of Dorchester; Mr. Jeremiah McCarthy of East Cambridge; Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Lawrence; Miss Helen Broadbent of Rovers, Mass.; and Miss Agnes McEenna of Boston, classmates of the deceased; Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Dalton of South Boston, and Mr. Mitchell Brodeur and family of Somerville.

The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker James W. McKenna.

LEADING OFFICIALS

Suspected of Having Part in the Assassination of Stolypin

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—The inquiry into the assassination of Premier Stolypin at Kiev, with particular reference to the revolutionary and political elements involved, is being conducted personally by the minister of justice, M. Chibchevskoy. Already there are indications of many ramifications and complexity on the part of prominent officials. Greater sensations than those so far published are promised. Vice director of the department of police Verkh is under strong suspicion by the authorities, who hold that he is in a measure responsible for the outrage.

The protection of the emperor and empress and the cabinet ministers at Kiev formed the subject of departmental discourse.

Governor Trepoit demanded general oversight of the protective measures, but was over-ruled by the director of the department of police, M. Kurloff. Trepoit then tendered his resignation, which was not accepted. Kurloff, Verkh, Lieut. Col. Spiridovich of the secret service police and Col. Kulibak, chief of the secret police, organized the protection, which cost \$100,000.

While Verkh and Kurloff were at Kiev on the eve of the emperor's visit Dmitry Bogroff was consulted and

given the responsible position of guarding the premier, as he promised to track supposititious terrorists, Nina Alexandrovna and Nicholas Jicorilitch. It is incomprehensible to those engaged in the inquiry how a subordinate as Verkh was dared to disregard Stolypin's circular regarding revolutionary spies and allow Bogroff, the spy and informer, to guard the premier without even setting other agents to watch him.

Verkh was Kurloff's right hand man and maintained close relations with Kurloff's family. Kurloff, against Stolypin's most determined opposition, married the divorced wife of a young adjutant. Stolypin made the matter one of personal confidence to the emperor, but Kurloff's influential supporters at the court over-ruled the premier.

The Novoe Vremya says that only a mere fraction of Minister Chibchevskoy's findings can ever be published. Patriotic reasons forbid the full exposure of the scandalous criminal intrigues in high governmental circles leading to Stolypin's sacrifice.

Only Gen. Trepoit's prompt measures of throwing a cordon about the theatre and checking the work of the secret police prevented the escape of Bogroff from the hands of justice. Col.

Kulibakko made a strenuous but unsuccessful effort to have the prisoner kept at secret police headquarters, instead of in the fortress. Had Trepoit surrendered Bogroff to Kulibakko, the paper declares, few details of the crime would ever have become known.

Many alleged accomplices have been traced to the revolutionary side and a vast number of arrests are being made throughout Russia. The police have been searching in vain in St. Petersburg for a terrorist bearing the nickname of "Kernmann." A domiciliary search has been made of the rooms of the correspondent of a London newspaper and his brother residing in the lodgings of the liberal author, Mme. Tsvetkova.

It was reported that Bogroff's father was arrested on the frontier while returning to Russia, but a latter report said that he was in Berlin. Bogroff's parents, upon receiving the news of the crime, addressed a telegram to Mme. Stolypin expressing abhorrence at their son's act. Bogroff's brother, who was held at the St. Petersburg secret police headquarters, has been arrested at Odessa. Another Bogroff, also a physician, has been arrested at Baku.

Eighty men and 20 women, professors, liberals, are under arrest at Kiev.

THE BARTLETT SCHOOL

Will be Given Over Entirely to Industrial School Work

The regular evening school classes at the Bartlett school will be abandoned, and the school will be given over entirely to industrial school work with both day and evening sessions. The Bartlett evening school accommodated girls and women, mostly foreigners, and they will be provided for at the Green school, and those formerly at the Green school will go to Cabot street. Hereafter both sexes will be accommodated.

Remember These Facts!

It has been stated several times in these columns that in order to enter

the evening industrial school pupils must be 17 years of age or over and that they must already be employed in the industry or related industries in which they wish to further perfect themselves, but despite the frequency with which this information has been published, the office of the superintendent of schools at city hall is being over-run with applicants who are not eligible.

The evening industrial schools will open on the same date as other evening schools, October 2, with registration the previous week. Posters for use in mills and other places will be in the hands of the printer within a few days.

THE LOWELL HOSPITAL

Steps Taken to Have It Exempted From Taxation

The question as to whether or not the Lowell hospital is legally exempt from taxation was discussed at a conference held in the assessors' office at city hall this forenoon. Those engaged in the conference were the assessors, City Solicitor Duncan and Frank P. Dunbar, corporation counsel. The point has been raised that the Lowell hospital is not being a corporation should not be exempt from taxation. For the hospital it is claimed that the training school for nurses is a part of the hospital and the school is a corporation. The hospital is assessed for \$63,150, and thus far has been exempt from taxation.

The question as to its exemption from taxation is a legal one and a hearing on the question will be held before the tax commissioner at the state house at an early date.

The Lowell hospital association is organized by the officers of the tax-

the manufacturing corporations in 1933 and the hospital was opened in February of 1940.

VAN HORNE PRAISES GOMEZ NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The report of the Cuba Railroad company for the year ended June 30 shows increase in both gross and net earnings. The gross is \$3,059,850, an increase of \$50,314. Net earnings are \$1,374,071, an increase of \$208,771.

Two new lines which have been opened receive a subsidy from the Cuban government of \$1,612,216. President W. C. Van Horne says in the report: "The reports of disorder in Cuba which have occasionally found their way to the press have no foundation in fact. Good order has continued to prevail in the island and in view of the peaceful and law-abiding disposition of the people and the strong government of President Gomez nothing of a serious character is to be feared there."



SIR WILFRID LAURIER, Premier of Canada.

MAN FOUND IN FIELD

Had Fallen From a Car---Assault Cases in Police Court

Jas. J. McEvoy was found in an intoxicated condition lying in a field near the corner of Seventh avenue and Moody street shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Charles Hamilton and sent to the police station where he was booked for drunkenness. He was in a terrible shape and after the arresting officer had offered testimony the defendant was sentenced to five months in jail.

According to the testimony offered McEvoy started off on a "joy ride" on an electric car the night before last. He was well supplied with liquor and might never have been arrested in this city but for an accident. While on the car he lost his balance fell out and landed on the side of the rails and evidently dragged himself into a nearby field. He was unconscious when found by Officer Hamilton.

Another Joy Ride

Lester C. Bent and Frank S. Little, both of whom are employed by contractors in North Chelmsford, were arrested near the corner of Broadway and Wilder street last night about 6:30 o'clock by Patrolmen Whalen and Marshall. Each of the men was driving a pair of horses attached to a

heavy wagon and after imbibing rather freely in intoxicating liquors got into an argument. A race followed and when the wagons reached upper Broadway an argument was started and considerable profanity was used and a fight resulted. The two patrolmen arrived at an opportune moment and placed both men under arrest.

Both men were arraigned in court this morning and each entered a plea of guilty. Little was fined \$2, but Bent was sent to the Massachusetts Reformatory. When Bent was brought in to court he was attired in a heavy regulation army overcoat owing to the fact that he did not have an overcoat when he was arrested, but when he was taken down stairs the heavy coat was removed and he appeared in negligee attire.

Stubborn Child

Joseph Alphonse Bergeron, aged 17 years, pleaded guilty of a complaint charging him with being a stubborn child. His parents testified that he had worked a short time during the summer, but the principal objection was that he stayed out late at night and never gave any account of where he had been or what he had been doing. The father was willing to give the boy a trial and the court after

giving him some good advice gave him a suspended sentence to the Massachusetts reformatory and placed him in the custody of Probation Officer Shattery.

Assault and Battery

There was a red-hot battle in a barn in Railroad street yesterday, according to a complaint which was to have been aired in police court this morning, but which was postponed owing to the inability of some of the witnesses to be present.

It seems that Simon Rosenfelt either owns or leases or lets a barn in Railroad street and Nathan Greenberg keeps a horse in the same building. Samuel Schwartz works for Mr. Greenberg and Sam's duty is to take the horse to and from the stable. When Sam brought his horse into the barn and started to feed the animal, Simon Rosenfelt claimed that Sam was stealing the feed. There was an argument and Sam received a blow that put him down and out. The case will be referred in police court next Tuesday by Judge Hadley.

Brothers Were Fined

John and Wojech Landu were charged with assault on Frank Ksanowski last Saturday night and although they entered pleas of not guilty they were found guilty by Judge Hadley and fined of \$12 were imposed. It is alleged that the complainant, Frank, owed the defendants \$10, and when they met him in William street and he refused to pay, the quarrel ensued.

AUTO AMBULANCE

Commissioner Howe Insists on One

Harry W. J. Howe, of the board of charities, does not intend that the automobile ambulance matter shall be smothered by the falling leaves. He says there is great need of an auto

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THE PRINCESS GUN METAL BUTTON SHOE, short vamp, narrow toe with Cuban heels, leather tops. Sizes 1 to 8 **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS GUN METAL SHOE—Button, new high toe, medium last, with Cuban heel. A new creation for this fall **\$1.98**

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THE PRINCESS PATENT COLT BUTTON SHOE—Short, wing tip, cloth top, narrow toe with high Cuban heels **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS SHOE VICI KID, patent tip, glove kid tops, medium toe, with square heels, blucher cut **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS VICI KID SHOE, button, medium toe, patent tip, common sense heels. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8 **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS SHOE, VICI KID, polished narrow toe, short vamps with Cuban heels **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS SOLID COMFORT SHOE—Vici kid, patent tip, wide toe and low flat heels **\$1.98**

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Open or closed, hemstitched. Regular and out sizes. Regular price 19c. A pair **12 1/2c**

25 Doz. Ladies' Drawers

Hamburg trimmed, open or closed. Regular price 39c. A pair **21c**

A FLORIDA SHERIFF

Was Arrested Twice in New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Sheriff Livingston G. Lesley of Tampa, Fla., arrived in New York a few days ago with requisition papers for Armand Larranaga, a young Cuban, who was cashier of a cigar factory and is charged with embezzlement. The Cuban was turned over to the Tombs by a casually company which had gone his hand to await action by the Florida authorities.

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Kills worms in children—only 25c. At All Druggists

ings, blonde and broad, and wearing a alshooter in a holster despite the Sullivan law, and a bright, new star (not against the law), arrived in due time with the necessary papers.

Governor Dix granted the requisition on Sept. 12, but Sheriff Lesley went out to look the big town over, and with a friend got mixed up in a little difficulty down in MacDougal alley and was arrested on a charge of intoxication. He was discharged in court the next morning with a reprimand, but did not feel very good and rested for a couple of days.

Tuesday the sheriff had Larranaga transferred to the Tenderloin station, so he would be convenient to the Pennsylvania terminal. At 9 o'clock Tuesday night he called at the station and said he would be on hand Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock to claim his prisoner.

All day yesterday the police looked in vain for the arrival of the sheriff. They had to dig down in their pockets and provide money for breakfast, dinner and supper for Sheriff Lesley's charge. They wondered what could be detaining the sheriff.

Shortly before midnight the sheriff arrived. He was in charge of a policeman. He came from the Breslin where

he had refused to pay a taxicab bill. In the cosy cell adjoining that of his prisoner the sheriff was stowed away for the night.

GREEK PASTOR

WAS CUSTED BECAUSE HE WORE A BEARD

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The Rev. John Welofochek, who last week took charge as pastor of St. Vladimir's Greek church in Elizabeth, N. J., was surprised by a visit of a committee of his parishioners to the parish house yesterday afternoon. The priest, a man of large stature who wears a full, white beard, was smiling when he received the committee and expected some pleasant surprise.

The spokesman of the committee rose and read from a written statement: "Brothers and Greek priests do not wear beards. We do not like them. Therefore you must go. We give you until nine o'clock tonight to leave Elizabeth forever."

Father Welofochek was so surprised

that he could not find his voice until after the committee, with threatening looks, had left the room. He hurried to police headquarters and was able to give the names of three members of the committee. They were arrested and arraigned in police court. On their promise not to molest the priest, they were discharged, but Father Welofochek, who is proud of his beard, declared he would leave the city at once. It is believed he will return to Detroit.

GIRL GETS \$20,000

MONEY LEFT BY UNCLE WHOM SHE HAD BEFRIENDED

LYNN, Sept. 21.—Her kindness toward an uncle she thought impoverished, nursing him after he had been prostrated by heat during the summer and remaining by him until death, has brought a legacy of \$20,000 worth of United States Steel stock to Miss Abbie L. Badger, 7 Water street, this city.

The man who bequeathed this amount was Charles S. Badger, a humble Boston and Maine steamship, who died at the Lynn hospital recently.

Badger worked for years at Salem, invested his savings in stock without any of his intimates being aware of this action and finally went to California, where he was lost track of three years ago.

Upon returning East, he was overcome by the heat in New York, covered after a time and was on his way to Lynn when again stricken. He was finally brought to the Lynn hospital. Upon gaining his senses he told the nurses that he had a niece somewhere in the city. Search was instituted and Miss Badger located. She came to his bedside and administered to him until the end, though unaware of his real financial condition.

Before his death Badger had his will drawn up, leaving the stock to her. At first the young woman thought this proceeding the indication of a dying man, but knows better now, since she is soon to get the stock.

GOV. POTHIER

WILL BE CANDIDATE FOR A FOURTH TERM

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 21.—Governor Aram J. Pothier will be a candidate for reelection this fall for a fourth term. This he announced today after he had been induced by the republican party leaders to change his mind and consent to run for the office. He had previously announced that he would retire from political life this fall but decided to make the fight in the hope that he might see the enactment into law of measures he has fathered and worked for.

RAILROAD STATIONS

At Westford and Graniteville Entered

The railroad stations at Westford and Graniteville were broken into Tuesday night or early yesterday morning by thieves but the latter failed to secure much over \$5 in booty.

At the Westford station entrance was gained by breaking a pane of glass and unlocking the window. A telephonic machine was torn from the wall and the contents taken and the machine thrown on the railroad tracks below the station.

At the Graniteville station windows were broken and the locks turned and the contents of a gun slot machine taken. Inasmuch as a pickaxe and wrench belonging in the section tool house were found at Graniteville it is thought that these were the imple-

ments used in entering the two stations and tearing the telephone box and gun machine from the walls.

According to a statement made by

Constable D. G. Boynton of Westford the thieves were in an automobile and he claims to have fired several shots at them, but they made their escape.

Health and Beauty Queries

BY MRS. MAP MARTIN

Mrs. M. D.: For short, thin hair there is nothing better to promote a healthy, vigorous growth than a good quinine tonic. But do not trust to any prepared tonic that may have been made so long as to have lost its strength. Get from any drug store an ounce of quinine and a half pint alcohol; mix together then add 12 pint cold water. Massage this tonic into your scalp about twice a week. It will cause dandruff and scalp irritation to disappear as if by magic, and you will soon notice your hair getting longer, thicker and beautifully lustrous. This simple tonic is a positive remedy for falling hair.

Miss R.: You will find the following lotion a splendid skin-whitener and complexion beautifier: Dissolve four ounces of spumax in a half pint hot water, then add two teaspoonsful glycerine. This perfectly takes the place of a face powder, but you will find it far better in every respect. It does not rub off or show like powder, and benefits the skin. Apply this lotion to the face, rubbing gently until dry. It will take away that shiny, muddy, rough look and leave your skin smooth and fresh looking. This inexpensive lotion is now used largely by women of refinement and is unequalled for removing freckles, tan and skin pimples.

M. M.: No, do not use dry shampoo powder under any circumstances. Authorities on hair culture almost invariably condemn such mixtures, as they simply clog up the pores in the scalp and cause dandruff and other scalp troubles. When your hair needs washing, use for your shampoo a teaspoonful of carbolic dissolved in a cup of hot water. This makes a rich lather that cleanses perfectly and will leave your hair brighter, cleaner and softer than ever before. This shampoo rinses easily, dries quickly and positively will not make the hair streaky and brittle like soap does. If you will use this shampoo once, I am sure you will be so pleased that you will never care to try any other.

W. B. S.: To make your eyes clear, bright, and show the sparkle of health, dissolve an ounce of crystals in a pint of water and put a few drops in each eye twice daily. This soothing lotion is very strengthening to weak, tired, inflamed eyes and will make your eyes clear and beautiful. For sore, gritty, watery eyes it is splendid and greatly helps those who wear glasses.

Mrs. D. J.: You need a good, strengthening tonic and liver regulator, to purify your blood and build up

your health. Take before each meal a tablespoonful of the following: Dissolve a half cup sugar and one ounce kaffiene in a half pint alcohol, then add hot water to make a full quart. This home-made tonic will clear up a sallow, pimply complexion quickly, and as a liver regulator, it is simply splendid. It makes the best home medicine imaginable, and does wonders in restoring lost appetite, energy and general good health.

Veta S.: To clear your complexion and make it smooth, soft and satiny, use the following cream-jelly: Mix together one ounce of alcohol, two teaspoonsful glycerine and a half pint cold water. Stir and let stand a few hours before using. This greaseless complexion-jelly is the finest thing you can get for reducing those large pores below your eyes and clearing up your complexion. It removes all pore-dirt, blackheads, freckles and skin pimples, and when used as a massage cream, fills out hollow cheeks and removes wrinkles readily.

Ella T.: Really, you have no just cause to worry on account of those superfluous hairs, because with a little delatone and water you can make a paste, which applied to the offensive hairs and left two or three minutes, then rubbed off, will remove every trace of hair. Get an ounce of delatone and use as I suggest, washing the skin after removing the delatone, and you will be delighted with results. Delatone costs a dollar an ounce, but is worth every cent, as it is unfailing.

Mac W.: I do not approve of dieting and exercising for fat reduction. The simplest and best way is to get your complexion. It removes all pore-dirt, blackheads, freckles and skin pimples, and when used as a massage cream, fills out hollow cheeks and removes wrinkles readily.

Winifred: Don't trim eyelashes as it makes them coarse and straight. To induce a thick, silky growth, apply plain pyroxin with thumb and forefinger each night. This also gives them a delightful curl and softness. Your thin eyebrows can be made to grow in heavy by applying pyroxin to lash-roots with finger-tips daily. You can buy pyroxin at any drug store in one-ounce original packages, but care should be used and not get any on the skin where hair is not wanted.

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PRESIDENT W. H. TAFT

Entered on His Fourth Busy Day in Michigan

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Sept. 21.—President Taft was aroused early to enter on his fourth busy day in Michigan, the Grand Rapids program calling for every minute of his time from the arrival of his special car over the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad at 6.40 until his departure to the southern part of the state at 1 o'clock.

The president was greeted at his car by a reception committee headed by Senator William Alden Smith. Automobiles took him to the Kent county club, where breakfast was served, a large party of leading citizens being present.

Following the luncheon, the program included an automobile run to the Michigan state soldiers' home at 9.40, a speech there at 10 o'clock, an automobile drive back to the city, a speech to an open air mass meeting in Campau square at 11 o'clock, the principal

address of the day, a 15-minute talk at the Central high school at 12.20, a 15-minute talk at the Ladies' Literary club at 12.40, and a departure for Battle Creek at 1 o'clock.

It was raining dimly when the presidential party arrived, but the downpour let up before the start for the Country club.

President Taft was greatly interested in the outcome of the Canadian elections today. He realized early that the results of those elections, on which the fate of reciprocity hinges, could not be fully known until he reaches Kalamazoo tonight. The president is hardly doubtful of the result but just the same he will feel relieved when the final bulletins are shown him and he is assured that his long fight is about to end successfully. It is probable that after the election today he will put reciprocity on his speaking schedule.

PRESIDENT MURPHY ENTERS A PROTEST AGAINST UMPIRE'S DECISION

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—President Murphy of the Chicago baseball club last night wired President Lynch of the National League to the effect that Umpire Klem was in error in calling the second game yesterday in the seventh inning and allowing Philadelphia to win.

"There was plenty of light at the time," declared President Murphy, "and Klem had no business to call the game."

In his telegram Mr. Murphy suggested that the league president order the game played over on Friday as part of a double-header.

WALDOLF ASTOR COMING HERE TO STUDY ELECTION CONDITIONS

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Waldorf Astor, the self-exiled American, who sailed on the Olympic yesterday, is returning to New York for the first time in three years with the chief object of studying American political and labor conditions.

Astor brought the American dollar along into the recent general elections. Now he wants a more intimate knowledge of what Irish Nationalists are doing

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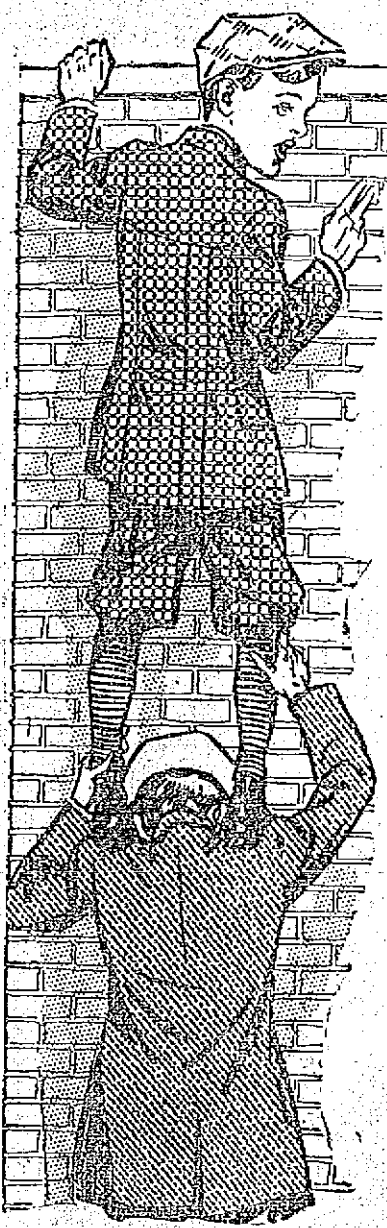
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HEAVY VOTE CAST

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dozen bands participated in the demonstrations last night and it was a late hour before the city became quiet. There was little disorder in any section.

LIVELY CONTESTS

LOCAL ISSUES HANDICAPPED THE LIBERAL CANDIDATES

ST. JOHN, N. B., Sept. 21.—Election day in New Brunswick was one of the most animated in the history of the province and in every county there were contests. It was conceded that the liberals would retain Charlotte, Gloucester, Westmoreland and Victoria-Madawaska and that the conservatives were safe in York county. The opposition felt reasonably sure of Kent county where local issues handicapped the liberal candidates.

The center of the greatest interest were St. John, Kings-Albert, Queens-Sunbury and Carleton. In St. John city the contest between Hon. William Pugsley, minister of public works in the Laurier cabinet and Henry A. Powell, formerly conservative member of parliament for Westmoreland, has been absolutely even since a walkover. There is a strong localist sentiment in New Brunswick, the outgrowth of American Revolutionary days when many New Englanders, loyal to the crown, removed to the Province, and nowhere is it stronger than in St. John. This element very largely appeared to be supporting the conservative candidates.

In the last election the minister of public works had a majority of 498 but at that time his constituency included all of St. John county. Today Sir Pugsley stood for St. John city, where in the last contest, Dr. J. W. Daniel, conservative, was chosen by 192 majority. Dr. Daniel has had a hard fight on his hands in the present election. He is a candidate today for the entire county, which outside of the city is generally liberal. Sir Daniel was a surgeon in the Union army during the American Civil war. Mr. Pugsley's opponent is a strong debater and personally popular but he was handicapped by the expenditure of large sums of money in terminal improvements and harbor work by the government during the past few years. The minister of public works used the development of the port as his greatest campaign card. In the counties bordering on Maine and along the St. John river a pronounced reciprocity sentiment prevails but there is also a strong pro-British sentiment which in some districts offset the strength accorded the liberals by the trade agreement with the United States.

The loyalty argument has done duty day and night for seven weeks, during which time bitter attacks have been made on Americans and it was problematical just what effect the flag-waving style of campaign would have. The border constituencies are Charlotte, York, Carleton and Victoria-Madawaska. In the last election the liberals carried Charlotte by 151 majority.

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LARGEST VOTE

EVER CAST AT A CANADIAN GENERAL ELECTION

MONTREAL, Sept. 21.—Despatches from all over the Dominion indicate one of the largest votes ever cast at a Canadian general election. Workers for both parties were early in the field and long before the hour for opening the polls long lines of voters stood in the streets to cast their votes, for or against reciprocity. This was particularly true in the larger cities. The interest in the rural districts, however, was not less keen and it is upon the heavy farmer vote that the government is chiefly depending for its hope of success. From all points came the report that the election was proceeding in a quiet and orderly manner. A dominion law makes the selling of intoxicants illegal on election day, which tends to keep in check the boisterous element.

RECIPROCITY

IS THE POPULAR ISSUE IN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Sept. 21.—Prince Edward Island elects four members to parliament today. In the last election the liberals won three seats, although the total vote was close, the liberals polling 14,496 and the opposition 14,236. Reciprocity is popular in this province.

HEAVY VOTE IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Sept. 21.—Canada is polling today the heaviest vote in its history to register its decision as to whether the government and reciprocity are to be endorsed or defeated.

All the ten provinces polling began were opened at nine o'clock and will close at 5 p. m. There are no voting machines. The Australian ballot system prevailing throughout the Dominion. Today's vote is being taken in the 214 of the 221 constituencies. Three of the seven which are not voting gave their decision on nomination day a week ago, returning government supporters by acclamation. In the remaining four, owing to wilderness conditions which retard official election preparations, voting has been deferred for two weeks.

Among those who deposited their ballot early were Sir Wilfrid Laurier and H. L. Borden, the opposing leaders. Premier Laurier voted at Quebec ten o'clock and at about the same hour Mr. Borden cast his vote in Halifax. The organization of each side appeared to be working smoothly. Both sides continue to express confidence.

The betting in Montreal last night covered a wide range of odds, with liberal money most in evidence. A local paper records a bet of ten thousand dollars that the government will be returned. Considerable money was placed at the leading hotels on even money.

A sporting authority in Montreal estimates that half a million dollars have been placed in election wagers in this city, despite a rigid Canadian statute making election betting an imprisonable offense and depriving the bettor of his vote.

Unless the vote is very close it is expected that the general result will be known accurately before 10 o'clock.

SHOWERY WEATHER PREDICTED

OTTAWA, Ontario, Sept. 21.—Showery weather is predicted for most of Canada, and this is regarded as unfavorable for the government, which is stronger in the country and weaker in the cities.

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS OUT

HAMILTON, Ontario, Sept. 21.—With rain threatening, the polls opened in this Canada's greatest manufacturing centre today under weather conditions that were by no means the most favorable and yet indications are that in both Hamilton ridings and Wentworth a record vote will be polled.

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MAYOR J. F. MEEHAN

Takes Exception to Remarks by A. G. Walsh

Mayor Meehan took exception to some statements attributed to Mr. Alonzo G. Walsh at a meeting of the Citizens Americans last night. In reply to Mr. Walsh Mayor Meehan made the following statement and asked the Sun to publish the same:

"In his argument against the present charter," said the mayor. "Mr. Walsh describes the present city council as a body whose youth, lack of judgment and knowledge were not sufficient for the proper spending of the city's money. I consider this an impeachment against every young man in this city. From a reliable source I understand Mr. Walsh is 50 years of age. Twenty-three years ago he served as a member of the common council. Did he then believe that it was an atrocious crime to be a young man? Or does he feel that he then had more intelligence than does the ordinary youth of today?"

"In his statement that the city spends the vast sum of \$4,000,000 he

is far wide of the mark, for the city spends approximately about \$2,000,000 at the most."

BURGLARS ESCAPE

AFTER MAKING SEVERAL BREAKS AT EAST JAFFREY

EAST JAFFREY, N. H., Sept. 21.—Burglars who are supposed to have come into and departed from East Jaffrey in an automobile Tuesday night broke into a blacksmith shop, a livery stable, the postoffice safe and the Monadnock National bank, and escaped from town without being seen, so far

as known. The only place in which they got anything of much value was in the postoffice safe. They secured stamps, money orders and a little cash. Apparently something happened to scare them away from the vaults of the Monadnock National bank after they had broken the knob off the safe door, for they left their tools in the bank and fled without getting into the vault or getting off any explosive there.

There are tracks of automobile tires leading toward Monadnock mountains, and several officers, reinforced by a posse of citizens, are searching about the mountain for the burglars. The breaks were not discovered until daylight this morning.

SECY. LANGTRY

EXPECTS A SMALL VOTE AT THE PRIMARIES

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Secretary of state Langtry is somewhat fearful that the vote cast at the primary election to be held next Tuesday will be so light as to bring about an effort to repeal the direct primary law on the ground that the public takes too little interest in it to warrant its retention. Discussing the matter today he said:

"There can be no doubt that the size of the vote cast next Tuesday at the primaries will be a factor in determining whether the new system is

to endure or whether the next legislature can be induced to repeal the act. If the people of the commonwealth really wish to nominate their own candidates directly they should come out at the primaries and show their preferences."

NATURALIZATION COURT

Court will sit at Lowell on Thursday, Sept. 28, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of admitting to citizenship the applicants who filed their final petitions for naturalization on the 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th days of June, 1911.

The clerk of the court will send notice by mail to those who are to be admitted.

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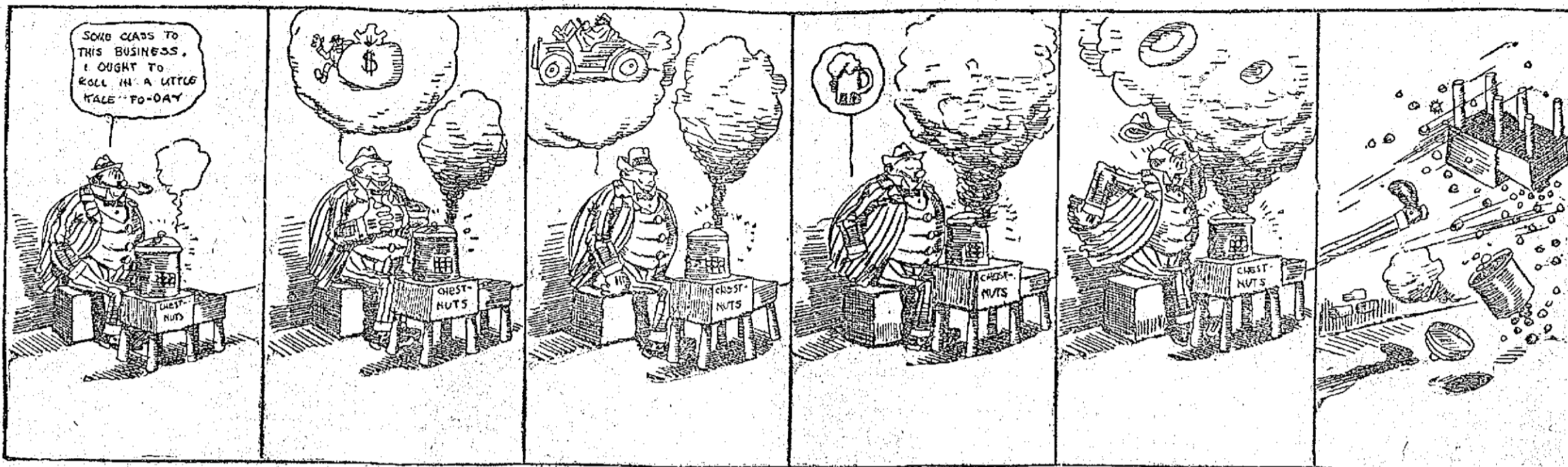
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ABE ATTELL BEATEN

Wells Given the Decision in a Fast Ten Round Bout

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Abe Attell, the featherweight champion, tried the impossible last night by conceding about 13 pounds in weight to the English lightweight champion, Matt Wells, at the Madison Square garden.

Wells, being equally as clever as the American in every ring move, had the call almost from the start and won handily. It was a fast, clean and clever exhibition, with none of the bloody features of the Flynn-Morris contest in the same ring last week.

Handicap matches like the one to-night do not count for much, as Wells cannot claim much credit, while his beaten opponent had the sympathy of everyone who witnessed his game efforts to battle against odds that would have scared any other one in his class. They appeared at 10.35, Attell smiling while the gloves were being adjusted. His weight was said to be 132 pounds, while the Englishman weighed in at 5 o'clock not turning the beam at the stipulated 135 pounds. Judging from the appearance of the boys when they stripped there was about 13 pounds difference in favor of Wells.

Fight by Rounds

Round 1—Wells led first with a light straight left and repeated twice with light return. Both were careful, but after two clinches Wells again got straight left in the face. Both missed lefts at long distance and then they were not successful with hard right swings. They were sparring at the bell. Wells had the round.

Round 2—Wells was first to lead, landing a light left on the head. Attell was short in two attempts and had to take two lefts on the face, but retaliated with a right on the ear and swung a left hard on the ear and was countered with a straight left on the chin. Both fought roughly, Attell missing two banded right and left hooks at close quarters. They were sparring at the bell with honors even.

Round 3—Wells led with a straight left to the face and Abe countered with a left hook. Wells sent a right and left to the face and Attell missed a hard right swing for the jaw. In a

rush Wells forced Attell to the ropes with five successive left hooks to the jaw and then they mixed it up in lively fashion at close quarters, both fighting hard when the gong separated them. Wells' round.

Wells Better in Sparring

Round 4—Sparring for an opening both missed several lefts and rights. Then Wells landed two straight lefts on the face. Both were cautioned for holding in a mix-up and then Attell cleverly blocked a right and a left swing. Wells was the better of the two in sparring and had the round.

Round 5—Clever boxing and countering on each side marked the early part of this round until Wells sent Attell's head back with a hard left on the nose, drawing first blood. Abe tried hard to land, but Wells blocked cleverly and sent a few light blows with the left and right, again getting the honors.

Round 6—Abe was short on a left lead. Wells drove him back with a straight left over the heart. Attell was short on a right swing and they went into a clinch. Wells forced the blood again with a straight left, but Abe came back with several hard rights and the round ended in a fierce mix-up, with hooks and uppercuts in such rapid succession that neither one had any advantage at the bell.

Abe Fights Gamely

Round 7—Wells hooked left to nose and Abe sent back four straight lefts to face without a return. Infighling followed, with Wells the aggressor, but while Abe had the advantage in the early part, Wells made matters even at the end of the round.

Round 8—Wells led off with a left hook to the head and at close quarters sent three similar blows without a return. They exchanged straight lefts and then Wells sent four left hooks to the jaw in less than two seconds. Abe went back gamely with a straight left to the chin and held his own at infighting to the bell. Wells' round.

Rounds 9 and 10—Wells had the better of all the exchanges, and though Attell was by no means wiped out, the battle was clearly the Englishman's.



GRADUATION OF MANY STARS LEAVES YALE IN SORE STRAITS

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 21.—Yale football began recently when Capt. Arthur Howe, with practically every veteran of one or two years' standing, was on hand for the first work of the fall. It will not take a very sanguine son of Yale to predict that Blue will have a better season this year than it did last—that is, a better preliminary season. Looking over the field of candidates, the outlook does not look particularly bright for a great team at Yale this fall. The shoes of six star men of last year's eleven must be filled, and the coaches and Captain Howe realize that this is a harder job than the ordinary Yale man realizes. Johnny Kilpatrick, one of the best ends Yale ever had and a member of two all American teams, will be missed

more than any two men in the Yale eleven a year ago. He was the most feared end on the gridiron last year. Brooks and Vaughn, ends; Fuller and Childs, guards; Morris, centre, and the entire back-field—Daly, Field, Corey and Kistler—have been graduated. These veterans will be greatly missed. Scully, McDewitt, Capt. Howe, Baker and Paul are the only veterans of varsity calibre who have returned, but the freshman team of a year ago will furnish many likely candidates. Capt. Foss, the speedy quarter, and Gattis, at fullback, should fill a part of the gap left by the graduation of the stars of a year ago, while Gallaheer, and Harbison, ends, should give a good account of themselves. Picture shows Capt. Howe and Chief Advisor Walter Camp discussing different plays.

Possible to Couple Them for a Finish Match

For that matter Herman adds to his challenge to the champion that Zbyszko, although he has already defeated all comers, barring the champion, stands ready to meet any and all men whom the public regards as having a right to bar his approach to another championship match.

And there is much at this time to lend encouragement to the views and ambitions of the Pole. He can no longer be regarded simply as the "fat man of Europe" of days gone by. Perseverance in application to catch-as-catch-can wrestling has resulted in Zbyszko becoming a splendidly conditioned athlete of tremendous natural powers, a man now well versed in the tactical knowledge of the sport in which he hopes to prove supremacy.

DIAMOND NOTES

Third Baseman Dolan of the Highlanders is a find. At least that is the opinion of the sharps, who do not believe that he will peter out. Scout Ives got his lumps on Doan last June when the youngster was covering the bag for Jersey City, and promptly President Farrell bought his release for \$2500. It is said. Dolan later on was looked over by all the other major league scouts, who learned, to their dismay, that the Highlanders had bagged him.

"Dolan is the best looking young star I've seen in many years," said Hugh Jennings on Monday. "He is a natural ball player. He's fast, quick

landers hadn't won fifteen out of twenty-two games from us this year we'd have been at least on even terms with Mack's men. But that's all in the game."

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS

At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh 3, Boston 2.
At St. Louis—First game, New York 4, St. Louis 0. Second game, New York 7, St. Louis 4.
At Chicago—First game, Chicago 1, Philadelphia 0. Second game, Philadelphia 4, Chicago 0.
At Cincinnati—First game, Cincinnati 7, Brooklyn 5. Second game, Cincinnati 12, Brooklyn 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	36	46	63.3
Chicago	31	55	68.5
Pittsburgh	31	60	51.4
Philadelphia	24	61	54.3
St. Louis	21	65	52.6
Cincinnati	23	77	45.0
Brooklyn	34	80	40.3
Boston	34	109	25.4

GAMES TODAY

Boston at Pittsburgh.
Philadelphia at Chicago, 2 games.
New York at St. Louis, 2 games.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati, 2 games.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS

At Boston—Boston 4, Detroit 2.
At New York—First game, Cleveland 12, New York 9. Second game, New York 5, Cleveland 4.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 3, St. Louis 2.
At Washington—Chicago 5, Washington 3.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	31	45	66.9
Detroit	32	56	59.4
Cleveland	32	65	52.5
New York	25	67	45.2
Boston	29	70	40.7
Chicago	27	70	43.9
Washington	25	80	43.5
St. Louis	20	79	25.3

GAMES TODAY

Detroit at Boston.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.
Chicago at Washington.

BROOKSIDE FANS WRITE POEM

Two baseball fans of the gentler sex have sent the following letter and poetic effusion to The Sun with the request that they be printed, and here goes:

Dear Editor:

Once more the Brookside fans wax poetical and ask your leniency. We beg of you as you are strong be merciful, and no matter what you may think of our offering, spare our feelings, please. The song we have written is composed of remarks heard in the grandstand at Saturday's game between the strong Brookside and the Y. M. C. A. teams.

Honorable mention is made of Sot-sors, the most enthusiastic rooter. Voe unto the unwary mortal who breathes aught against her home team. Also we hope that Manager Luke McDonald will never lose his confidence in the grandstand as he is the battle for the man who will win.

Is the man who will win, That's all I guess. Enough? Well we think so!

Tiz and Tiz Knott.

OUT AT THE GAME

To the tune of "Throw Your Arms Around Me Honey."

Young men are a-playing
Such a lively game,
That it looks just as if they'd surely win,
Rooters are a saying,
"Huh just wait awhile,
Until you see the B. A. A. begin,
When they do start they will make that baseball hum."

In the grand stand fans are having lots of fun.
Hear them saying, "That's some playing."
Oh! you at the Ball!

CHORUS
Bat that baseball, honey, and just make it fly!
Fielder will not catch it! Hope he's not so spry.
Oh! Oh! can't you make it home?
Then no more you'll have to roam.
Go it on and do the very best you can,
Never mind if two are down, there's one more man.

Oh! Oh! that's playing ball,
Now then, you've begun.

CHORUS
Rooters are a yelling
Louder now with glee
And the ladies are screaming, too,
You bet.
Oh you Mr. Pitcher,
Hold the Young Men down,
And your good work we will never forget.

One man down, another coming to the bat.
Ease on balls—now second! We don't care for that.
Now the last man, He'll get his can,
Watch him wave his bat!

CHORUS
Catch that grounder, Wynnie, boy,
and hold it tight.
Throw it in to Geoffrey now with all your might.
Oh! Oh! watch that last man run,
He'll get there—he will like fun!
Hear the rooters yelling—Maybe

THE \$10,000 STAKE

Was Landed By R. T. C. in the Race at Detroit Yesterday

DETROIT, Sept. 21.—By adding the Michigan stake to his collection, R. T. C. yesterday swelled his number of victories during the season to seven.

Included in these are five \$10,000 stakes, one of \$5000 and a purse event of \$1000, which puts the humble plover horse way to the forefront of the winners on the trotting turf this year.

Most of these wins have been follow-up, but none was easier than the feature of today's card at the grand circuit races at the state fair. However, it was the popular victory and the faded chestnut gelding that still shows the marks of the work harness he wears when he is earning less money with a hay rake, was liberally applauded as he neared the money.

The farmers who were on hand were all smiles for they regard him as one of their own and he was giving the clifflid a good trimming.

Foregone Conclusion

The big stake was a foregone conclusion, so the result was perfectly satisfactory. The other trot-proved a walkover for Maud Light, although 10 started, but the two pacing events made up for what the rest of the program lacked.

The pacers had a few differences to settle and they did it by racing all the while, winners coming out of the bunch in the last of half a mile. Moretta started in to capture the 2.15 event, but after one winning heat she could not do better than third.

Patrick Pointer carried off the honor or had it carried men back to other days, for Patrick is a son of the great Star Pointer and the one he had to beat, Sule Gentry, was a daughter of John R. Gentry, and they were two of the greatest pacing stallions of their day.

The 2.07 pace was not finished, the first heat going to Sunny Jim and the second to Rollins. They raced hard in both miles and their time was the best of the day. Conditions were against extreme speed, for the air was cool and wind strong.

Guessing on Second Only

Naturally there was very little speculation on the big race with R. T. C. Harvester a mile in 2.04.

in the pools, but with that one eliminated, Chatty Direct sold at \$25, while the field brought \$37. R. T. C. won the first heat by half a length from Chatty Direct.

Next time both Chatty Direct and Gay Audubon went to early breaks. Gordon Todd stepping into the lead and being half a length ahead of the plover horse at the half. Again, Morphy waited until he had reached the stretch, and half-way down R. T. C. trotted into the lead and the people yelled as the chestnut gelding won very easily by half a length, the final quarter in 30.25.

R. T. C. led all the way in the third heat and jogged home the last part at a 2.01 gait. Gordon Todd was second until they got in the stretch, where Lewis Forrest outstepped him. This ended the big race, which was about the poorest of the season's \$10,000 battles.

Easy One for Mauds Light
Mauds Light was favorite in the 2.12 trot at \$50 against \$25 on the field on her good showing in Indianapolis. She drew an outside position and was in front and clear of the field on the turn. It was a forecast of the finish, for none of the others could make the mare extend herself and she merely romped home.

Both the pacing events were split affairs. Patrick Pointer was favored by the spectators in the 2.15 event with Moretta second choice. Moretta fell down in the warming up before the second heat, but did not hurt herself. Pat Pointer took command in the second heat, catching Sule Gentry in the stretch and beat her a neck at the end.

Pointer led around the first turn in the third heat and then Sule Gentry stepped up. Moretta was third, and they were heads apart at the three-quarters. Pointer settling to the front at the seven-eighths, winning easily.

The fourth heat saw Nellie Gentry pace for three quarters of a mile, then Sule Gentry drove out and looked to be winning easily until Bill Bailey made a rush after him. It was a hard drive and Pointer just saved himself by a neck.

In the morning, Geers worked the mation on the big race with R. T. C. Harvester a mile in 2.04.

GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL

Paid a Visit to the State Hospital Yesterday Afternoon

Yesterday was "Governor's Day" at the state luncheon at Tewksbury, and although the governor was unable to be present owing to an important engagement, Lieut. Gov. Frothingham and all of the members of the governor's staff, with the exception of one, were present.

The party arrived at the institution about 12.15 o'clock in automobiles and were escorted through several of the buildings by Supt. John H. Nichols, M. D., resident physician, and George A. Pierce, M. D., assistant superintendent.

At the conclusion of the tour of inspection the party returned to Boston, feeling gratified that the institution was being conducted in a capable manner.

they're not glad!
Take a look at Scissors. Is she looking sad?
No! No! the game is done,
Brookside-Champion.

And the best part of it is, we rooters are as long winded at the game as we are in poetry.

THE BOARD OF POLICE

Will Hold Special Meeting Friday Night

A special meeting of the board of police will be held at 7.15 o'clock Friday night when two hearings will be held. One of the hearings will be on the application of William E. Griffin that he

be granted a billiard and pool license in Adams street. At last night's meeting of the board it was shown that there were remonstrants but inasmuch as they were unable to be present it was voted to hold a special session Friday morning but subsequently it was voted to hold it in the evening.

George F. Kearns & Co. has applied for a transfer of a liquor license from Salem street to Chelmsford street and a hearing will also be given in this matter at the same meeting.

A DAY EARLIER

This week you can buy our famous La Triadale Old cigars for 5c beginning today and continuing through Sunday. This is a genuine three-for-a-quarter smoke and is so sold, excepting at special sale as mentioned above. Box of 50, \$3.50. Howard, the druggist, 397 Central street. (Telephone 1982 for drug-store goods, delivered free. Nothing too small.)

\$10,000 FOR GOTCH

ZBYSZKO LOOKING AFTER WORLD'S TITLE

Stanislaus Zbyszko, the big Polish wrestler, will land in America for his third visit the last of October. The Galician champion is easily the most formidable challenger now confronting World's Champion Frank Gotch, and his manager, J. H. Herman of Buffalo, is now making active plans for a campaign which he expects with every confidence will culminate in his protegee having a chance at the world's title during the season of 1911-12.

According to a letter which Herman has just issued, in anticipation of the arrival of the burly European, there is to be no delay in making an attack on the American, with the idea of engaging him in a finish "tussle at the earliest possible date.

Zbyszko's Right to Recognition

Herman declares boldly, in the belief that the public will sustain his position, that Gotch, having swept all challengers before him, having given Georges Hackenschmidt his second chance, can no longer refuse the claims of the Pole to further recognition, if the champion is to remain active on the mat. In the event of his retirement, which is thought highly improbable, Zbyszko will undoubtedly claim the title by default and prepare for its defense against all comers.

Zbyszko challenges Gotch to a finish match and substantiate his claims and his faith in the value of the match from a financial viewpoint, to both champion and promoters, he stands ready to guarantee the champion that his reward for the bout, win lose, draw or wrangle, will be \$10,000, "an amount," says Herman, "larger than that received by Gotch for his 1910 match with Zbyszko, larger than he has received for any match in which he has engaged during his career, barring only the last match with the Russian Lion, when Gotch received \$21,000.

Ready to Post Forfeit of \$10,000

In support of his promises, Herman declares that upon notification by any paper that Gotch has formerly signified maining \$9000 to be posted immediately upon the signing of articles, and "in the event of his failure to do so, the

\$1000 up to be bestowed upon charity as the stakeholder may elect."

"This \$10,000 proposition," said Herman yesterday, "is made solely to convince the skeptical, who may include the champion, of our earnestness of purpose, and our confidence in the eagerness of the sporting public to support such a match of proposed. As a matter of fact, we do not anticipate any financial risk in such an offer, for there is no question in our minds that a finish match between Gotch and the Pole will draw one of the great houses of wrestling, whether held in New York city, Chicago or any other point in the West. Buffalo itself could afford to make a fine offer for such a match, and I am assured that in the event that it can be made the Buffalo Athletic association will be one of the most active bidders for the bout.

Prominence of Zbyszko in 1911

There is little question of the prominence of Zbyszko on the mat today. He is easily the most dangerous challenger now confronting Gotch.

During the last two years he has picked up a world of knowledge of catch-as-catch-can wrestling and has wonderfully improved a previously magnificent physique, all of which may be taken as assurance that he will perform far more creditably, if he gets another chance at the titleholder, than he did on the occasion of their first meeting. On that occasion Zbyszko lost two falls inside half an hour, the first in record time, a fraction over six seconds. But in that match, as has been pointed out, he was caught napping on both occasions and his friends have always contested the merit of the defeat.

Gotch, of Course, the Favorite

Gotch, of course, would be an overwhelming favorite for victory against the Pole, or any other challenger at this time, but even conceding the defeat of the Pole, there is every reason to believe that Zbyszko will be able to give the champion the best argument of any of his many challengers.

To date the Pole has satisfactorily answered every question asked of him on the mat, his defeat by Gotch being the only blot on an otherwise perfect record in America and Europe. He has triumphed on two occasions in hand-cups with Hackenschmidt and there is little doubt in any well-posted mind that he would accomplish the further downfall of the Russian Lion were it

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ELOPED WITH HER AFFINITY

At Brooklyn, New York, a certain Mrs. Suydam left her husband and eloped with a young man named Frederick Noble. The couple have been living together in New York city and they affected to be very indignant when their identity was discovered by a newspaper reporter. "What right has anybody to interfere with us? Isn't he my affinity, my soul-mate?" said Mrs. Suydam. This affinity business is being industriously worked as an excuse for a violation of the marriage vows. Here is a woman who admits that she became infatuated with the young man whom she calls her affinity and even courted him into eloping. Mrs. Suydam's husband evidently has not much reason to regret his wife's departure, but she was his wife, and to disregard her marriage obligations and elope is but carrying out the dictates of passion and free love. A couple of years in jail might bring her to a sense of her duty and at the same time serve as a wholesome lesson to others.

THE PICTURE SHOWS

The police board will do well to guard against the exhibition of any suggestive pictures in the local theatres. The pictures, we understand, are first passed upon by the state police, and we are glad to find that of late there is a decided improvement in the exhibitions at the local theatres. The film companies are dropping the portrayal of crimes, and presenting pictures of a romantic character combined with scenic effects that are not only amusing but instructive. The motion pictures may be made a great source of instruction if properly used. The time will come when they will be used in the schools as a means of portraying natural scenery and atmospheric phenomena. The possibilities in this direction are immense, and it would be a pity to degrade such a grand medium of instruction by applying it to low subjects. The grandest scenery in the world, the highest ideals of conduct and the surest pathways to success can all be admirably illustrated and made clear to the youthful mind through the medium of moving pictures.

The time will come when these pictures instead of being confined to five cent theatres will be elevated so as to be used in churches and Sunday schools to bring emphatically before the minds of young and old the illustrations of scripture, the epochs of history, and the antiquities that remain as land marks of the ages.

But while the moving pictures have vast possibilities of conveying instruction and entertainment, their possibilities for suggesting crimes and instilling false notions of life into youthful minds are quite as great. It is for this reason that the picture shows should be closely watched so that nothing improper or suggestive may ever be presented to corrupt the minds of children or familiarize them with the work and the methods of noted criminals. To allow the pictures of a woman who was the indirect cause of a wife murder in Virginia to be presented upon the stage of a theatre here in Lowell would be an unpardonable offence. The police board took the right stand in denouncing this exhibition in advance. We have heard more than enough of Bessie Binford, Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, Florence Burns and others of the same stamp. They are not the kind of women who should be exploited as heroines to the young people who attend picture shows.

WHY DEMOCRATS SHOULD SUPPORT THE CHARTER

Editor Sun:

I would like to know, Mr. Editor if this new charter is not favored most generally by republicans for their own ends and in order to get the offices? Yours

J. E. D.

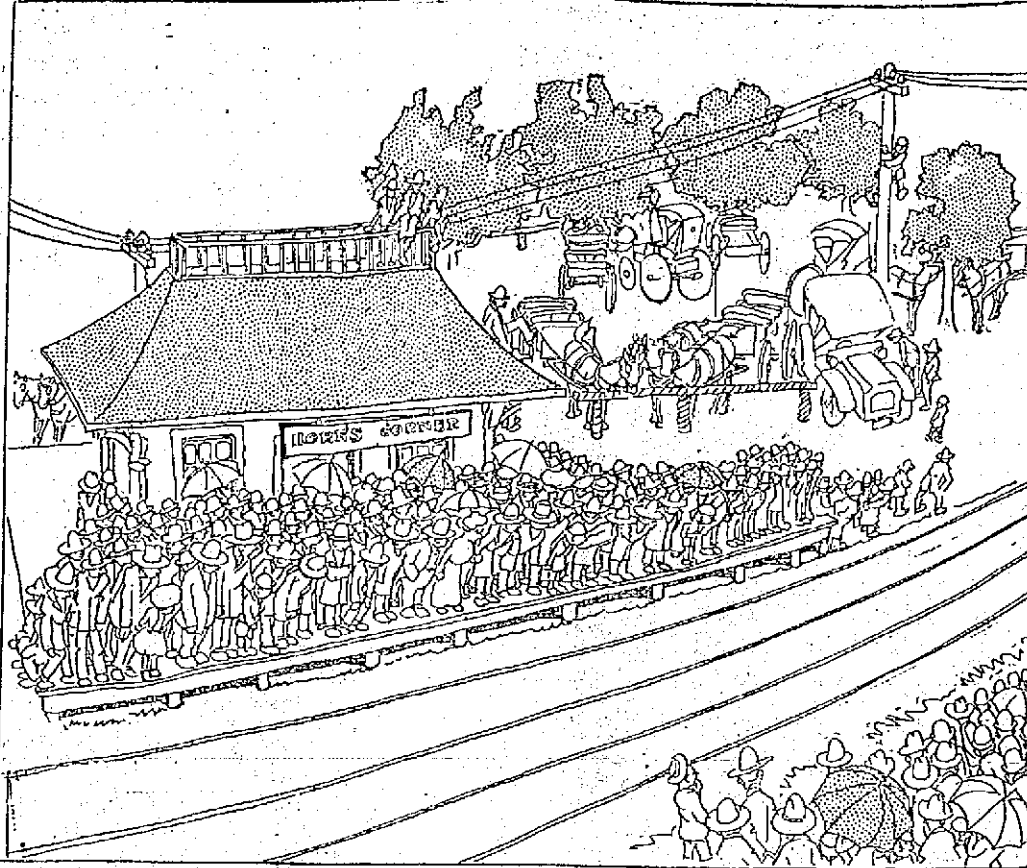
The new charter is not of republican origin. It is the Des Moines charter slightly modified in some details and it favors no class and no political party. It is a people's charter that would entirely eliminate party politics from city affairs, giving all citizens precisely the same rights and privileges.

The new charter has not been discussed from a political standpoint as yet. It is to be entirely non-partisan in its operation. Under that charter no party will be considered and, therefore, none can have any advantage unless it be in perfect equality. In that equality lies the chief advantage which should cause the democrats to vote solidly for the charter and why? Because for many years they have been deprived of the political power and prestige that a majority gives, on account of the fixed republican majority in the common council. Take the present year for example, the democrats have a majority in the board of aldermen and they have the mayor, but of what use is such a majority to them when the republicans have a permanent majority in the common council, owing to a gerrymander of the wards?

The democrats this year have been unable to elect the head of a single department except so far as the common council saw fit to concur. It is true they elected a city clerk but that was in joint convention where they had the votes. The republicans, it would appear, are now willing to have the democrats put upon a political level with themselves under the new charter; and it would appear at the present time that the democrats are determined not to favor the change. If they do not they will thereby show a lack of progressiveness that will stand against them in the future. The new charter movement will eventually sweep the country and the question is, are we to hang on to the old instrument until we shall have reached the condition in which Lawrence finds herself today—bankrupt and disgraced in the eyes of the world. We do not care to inject any partisan feeling into this charter movement because it aims at removing partisan considerations from our municipal politics, but to allow democratic opposition we may be allowed to show the democrats not as a party but as individuals that the new charter has special advantages for them that should commend it to their favor whereas by opposing it they will help to perpetuate their own subjection to republican rule under the present charter.

It does seem strange that the most democratic charter ever submitted to the citizens of any municipality should be opposed mainly by democrats. The question arises, are the people who look on the charter with disfavor acting upon their own judgment or upon the advice of some political candidate? The situation calls for the exercise of intelligence so that this charter of popular rights may not be rejected because of some minor detail that may be considered objectionable.

WAITING FOR THE TAFT TRAIN



SEEN AND HEARD

If a man loves his wife, he will quit smoking at her request; but if a woman really loves her husband, she will not ask it.

There are no new arguments in love and politics.

Not much sense is required to write poetry, but a man who understands it must know a good deal.

The supper was delicious. Mama, whose better half had gone to his reward a year before, had been the proper mourning period being completed—giving her first little party. Select friends of the family had gathered about the dining table and had enjoyed not a "fantastic repast" or a "delectable lunch," but a good hearty supper, with supplementary "fixins'."

The family friends had departed, and mama had not "retired," but gone to bed.

George, not the "friend," but the fellow to whom the daughter of the house was attached was lingering on the piazza, under the gentle, benignant rays of the harvest moon, stretching out the last five thousand words, by which he was endeavoring to expressively say "good-night" to Clementina.

This fair, ethereal, willowy, entrancing creature—that is to George—was imbibing his gush as if it were almost the truth.

Yes, reader, the line of talk sometimes coherently and sometimes incoherently, dashed forth by George, was extremely sentimental, or what is synonymous, sloppy.

"Clementina," whispered he, gazing lovingly upon her fair, young countenance, "didn't you notice that I pressed your dear little foot at the supper tonight?"

"Why, George, dear," murmured she, in a tone, however, not without trepidation, "I wasn't my foot you pressed, O, George, I wondered then why man-

ma was smiling so sweetly at the minister."

Teddy's mother had been taken suddenly ill one morning while he was at school. On his return, he was admitted to his mother's room for a few minutes and found his Aunt Alicia sitting by the bed.

"No, Teddy," said she, "mother has been very ill, and must not talk."

"O, my! I'm sorry, mother," gasped Teddy.

Mother smiled at him lovingly.

Mother seated herself on a large chair directly opposite, and after wriggling anxiously round for a minute or two delivered himself of the following speech:

"Mother, dear—now don't try to speak—but if you mean yes, nod your head—this way—and if you mean no, shake your head—this way. Have you seen my baseball bat?"

A haggard man entered the office of the treasury solicitor, and waited anxiously for an hour to get a word with him. Finally he obtained an audience with the official, who asked him what his business was.

"I've cheated the government!" whispered the haggard man, nervously fingering the hat in his hands.

"And you want to make restitution?" inquired the official. He had heard of such cases.

"How did you cheat the government—evade the customs duty, or steal something from the mint?"

"No, no; none of those things."

"Did you embezzle from a postoffice savings bank, perhaps?"

"No, never had anything to do with a bank."

"Did you overcharge on a contract?"

"Not that, either."

"Then how did you cheat the government?"

"Why, you remember the census, don't you?"

"Well," hissed the man, looking over his shoulder furtively, "when the census man came to my house I didn't give him my middle name."

HERE AND NOW

Not of the future, far away, Shall we be thinking most today, Nor of the vanished yesterday, But of the golden Now and Here.

If with a hope that lights our lives— Feeling our faith to the finger tips— We to a neighbor are just and true, So shall his neighbor acclaim him, too.

It is enough to serve and teach "Them to the hand and the voice can reach."

Then shall we shape our purpose right, Then shall the whole wide world be bright.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Brockton Times: Dr. Weldon, dean of Manchester, and one of the noted educators of Great Britain, has suggested a note of warning that might well be heeded on this side of the water. It is that the great universities are making entrance examinations so hard that only the sons of those who have sufficient means to send them for several years to preparatory schools for that purpose can pass. This means that the poor boy is practically unable to attain the free scholarships offered.

THE JUMP IN SUGAR

Fall River Globe: This jump in the price of sugar comes at a most inopportune time, just when the thrifty housewives are busy putting up their winter supply of jams and preserves. It is to be feared that the crop of those who will be short in a good many households, as a consequence, along with that of the sugar beet and cane, to which is ascribed the big advance in the cost of sugar.

LOSS CAUSED BY DRY WEATHER
Brockton Enterprise: One who writes like an expert says that the "back to the land" movement in New England has received a serious setback this year. The frightful weather conditions have cost farmers a lot of money and have put a crimp in the ambitions of those who had been thinking of leaving other work to emigrate.

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THE FAMILY OBJECTS

But the Wedding Plans Will Not Be Changed

NEWTON, Sept. 21.—By advertisements published yesterday afternoon in newspapers here and in Beverly, Edward P. Hurd of Newtonville, vice president of the United States Machinery company and one of the directors now under indictment, practically disowns his son, Malcolm Hurd, and makes known publicly that the latter's forthcoming marriage is without his approval.

The advertisements followed the appearance of invitations to the young man's wedding, which is set for Oct. 25.

Malcolm Hurd is engaged to marry Miss Eliza Beatrice Church, who resides with her guardian, E. A. Wilkie, a lawyer well known as counsel for the New England Telephone and Telegraph company, at 223 Mill street, Newtonville, only a short distance from the Hurd residence.

The advertisements were similar in both instances, reading as follows: "508 Walnut street, Newtonville, Mass.

"Take notice! To whom it may concern:—The proposed marriage of Malcolm Hurd is against our best judgment and advice and without our approval. He is requested to see that no invitations nor announcements were sent to any of his family, as they were not desired, and not be accepted nor would any attend the ceremonies, and also to refrain from sending either of the same to any of the family's personal or business friends.

"Having disregarded our expressed request we are compelled to advertise these facts, that all reading such shall be absolutely at liberty to treat them as each may feel personally desirable, unbiased by all other considerations. Edward P. Hurd."

Hurd Now in West

Mr. Hurd, who is rated as one of the wealthiest men in this city, declined last night to make any further statement regarding the unusual case. "This is strictly a personal affair, and I do not want anyone 'butting in' to my personal affairs," said he.

His son, he said, is now in the western part of the country. Miss Church, it was said at 223 Mill street, was not at home last evening, and it was added that her guardian, Mr. Wilkie, could not discuss the matter.

"We have absolutely nothing to say," Mrs. Wilkie said, a reporter, and she declined to affirm or deny that Miss Church is engaged to marry young Hurd. By friends of the young people in Newtonville it was said that invitations for the wedding were sent out on Monday, and that the prospective bride had declined that the wedding would take place as planned.

Miss Church has resided in Newtonville five years, coming here from her home in Nova Scotia, where her father is a clergyman. For several years she has been a nurse, although she was never graduated from a training school. She has an attractive personality and enjoys a wide acquaintance among young people here.

Both Miss Church and young Hurd are about 28 years old and are well known socially in this city. Rector Engaged

The wedding is announced to take place in St. John's Episcopal church in Newtonville, where Miss Church is an attendant. The rector, Rev. Richard T. Loring, has been engaged to perform the ceremony.

HUNGRY CREW

HAD TO GRIND WHEAT TO GET FOOD

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Capt. Pattison of the British steamship Bloemfontein, which arrived last night from the far east, reported that he had supplied provisions and water to the British bark Indian Empire, which had been 169 days in passage from Adelaide, N. S. W.

The Bloemfontein sighted the bark Sept. 10 in N. lat. 40 deg. 12 min. W. lon. 13 deg. 29 min. Flying signals of distress. Everything eatable in the harder had gone, but the men did not fear starvation, as a large part of the cargo was wheat and the ship's coffee mill made crude flour.

Capt. Ward of the bark and Capt. Pattison of the Bloemfontein several years ago were on the British training ship Fort Jackson and had not seen each other since.

By the time the bark reaches Falmouth, England, her destination, she will have been half a year in passage, having made but one port, St. Helena, where provisions were purchased. Several cases of beef were bought there at \$36 a case. The meat was found to be unmeatable and had to be thrown away.

The Bloemfontein came from Calcutta and Colombo with a cargo of hemp, tea, gunnies, hides, spices and curios for Boston and New York.

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Cheviot finish, in novel colorings, brand new shapes, trimmed with the finest leathers, waterproof and practically indestructible.

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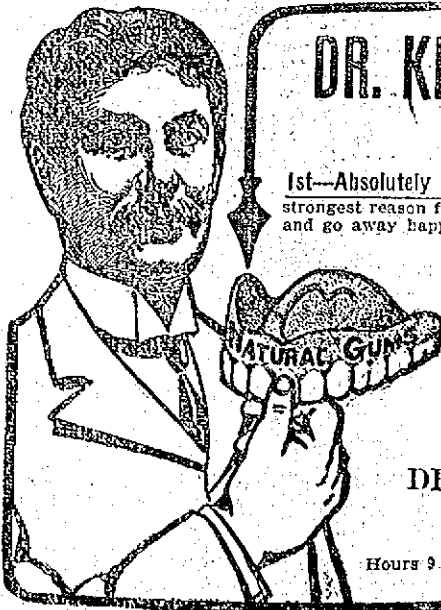
Natural ability, technical study and a large practical experience go to the making of the expert in any line. Louis Alexander, the Central street tailor, added to his natural ability by technical study and practice under the finest New York city tailors and to his practical experience by personally cutting over \$500,000 worth of fine garments. He keeps closely in touch with the best New York tailors today, also in close touch with the best dressed young men of the day. For fifteen years he has been a weekly visitor to Phillips-Anderson Academy, a school of over six hundred of the best dressed boys in the country. Among his customers are classed the best dressed men and boys in P. A. A. If you want fine clothing, you will be sure of getting it if you go to Louis Alexander, 65 Central street, Lowell.

THE "CHECKING" PRIVILEGE

New York Herald: Litigation over the privilege of taking care of the hats and coats of the diners in a Broadway restaurant sheds an interesting light on one of the notable industries of the town. It seems that the men who acquire the "checking" rights in fashionable hotels and restaurants can afford to pay from one to eight thousand a year for the privilege of taking in dimes and quarters.

The boys who wear the impediments from the owners thereof receive \$6 a week and are required to place all their tips in a box, to which their employer holds the key. Their honesty is partially insured by the pocketless uniforms which they are compelled to wear.

Their feelings as they deposit the tips in the box are probably not unlike those of the French truffle hunters, who are prevented by muzzles from devouring the delicacies as they root them up from the soil.



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1st—Absolutely Painless Dentistry—

I honestly believe that this is the strongest reason for my success. People come to me in fear and trembling and go away happy—wondering why they doubted.

2nd—The Lowest Prices—consistent with good work, a set of teeth as low as \$5. Gold crowns and bridges \$3 to \$5. Teeth without plate \$3 to \$5. Gold fillings \$1; other fillings 50c.

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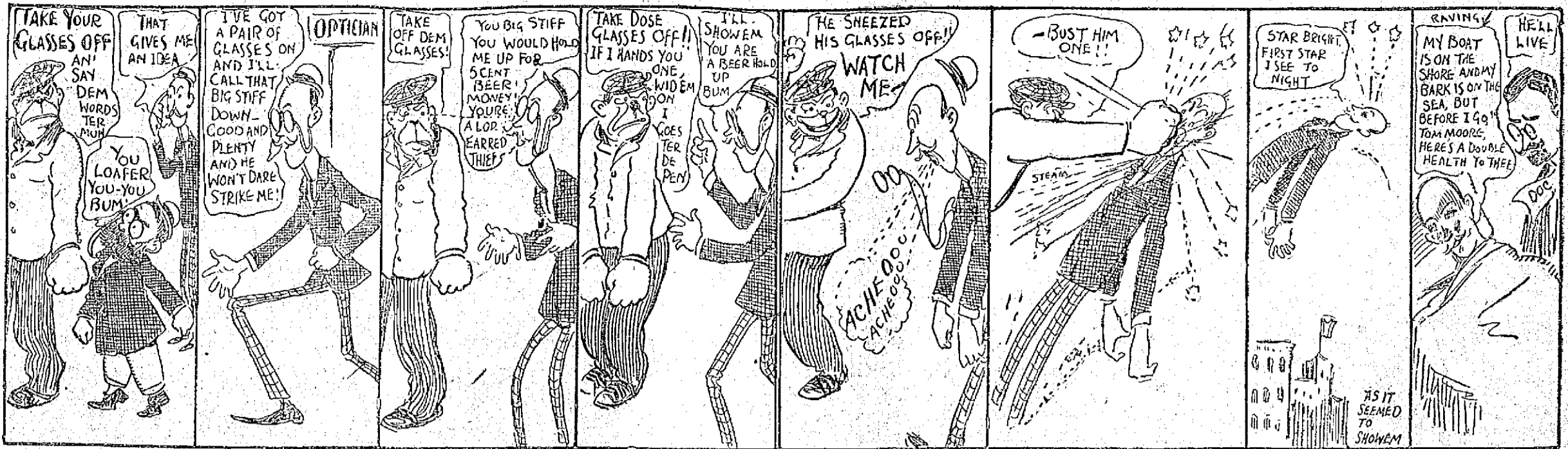
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MR. I. L. SHOWEM HAS AN ADVENTURE WITH A BAD MAN



FIRE IN AN ELEVATOR

Blaze at Corinna, Me., Caused a Loss of \$50,000

CORINNA, Me., Sept. 21.—Fire which broke out yesterday afternoon in the train mill and elevator of Ireland Bros. & Co. on Main street, in this town, caused a property loss estimated last evening at \$50,000. The flames were finally brought under control by the combined fire-fighting forces of this town, Dexter and Newport.

The fire swept away five of the most prominent business places in town and was a severe blow to the interests of this little village, which has suffered severely from fire in the past few years. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an explosion of gasoline in the basement of the Ireland mill. It had gained considerable headway when discovered and spread very rapidly. In the Ireland mill, which was a large wooden structure, was the pump used for fire-fighting purposes and also the electric lighting power station. The flames cut off all approach to the fire pump and left the town with nothing to fight the flames except a hand pump. This was used, but was no match for the fire.

Towns Rush Help
Messages were sent to Dexter and Newport for assistance, and both towns sent large delegations of firemen, Dexter sending two engines and a hose, while Newport sent its motor engines and several hose companies. Both outfits arrived on special trains arranged for by the Maine Central railroad.

The fire had gained great headway by the time the out-of-town firemen arrived, but a hard fight was made to save the buildings in the vicinity of the fire. From the Ireland mill the flames spread across the street and wiped out the drug store of F. L. Redman & Son. The building was owned by Edwin L. Jackson. It also burned the general store of J. E. Trickey and two large tenement houses owned by F. S. Macomber and occupied by three families. Sparks started small fires at the residence of T. F. Burrill and the factory of the Portland Packing company. These fires were quickly extinguished. The stock of goods in the F. G. Church store was damaged by smoke and water, while P. B. Shaw, confectioner, suffered in a like manner. The large wooden building on Main street, owned by Stone Esel lodge, P. and A. M., and occupied by the Smith company, also was scorched by the flames.

The Heaviest Losers
By 5 o'clock the fire was under control after having burned for about three hours. The heaviest losers are:
Ireland Bros. & Co., grain, estimated at \$35,000, with insurance of about \$15,000.
F. L. Redman & Son, druggists, loss \$4000, with insurance of \$3000.
J. E. Trickey & Son, general store, loss \$5000, partially covered by insurance.
Tenement houses, owned by F. S. Macomber.

ZEMO CURES ECZEMA, PIMPLES, DANDRUFF, PRICKLY HEAT, SUNBURN

and affords you skin comfort during the hot weather. We give you three reasons why we recommend ZEMO for skin trouble.
1st. ZEMO is a clean, scientific, liquid preparation—pleasant and agreeable to use.
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If you wish to try a bottle of ZEMO for yourself or one of your children and it does not do exactly what we say, we will return your money without quibble or question.
A. W. DOWS & CO., druggists.

Macomber, loss \$1000, partially insured.

The news of the fire spread with great rapidity and hundreds flocked to the village from other towns by automobile, carriage and train. The entire village was threatened at one time and but for the fact that hardly a breath of wind was stirring the loss would have been much more serious. The special train with the Dexter fire department was the first of the out-of-town help to arrive. The train made the nine miles from Dexter to this town in exactly 7 1/2 minutes.

It is anticipated that the owners of the burned buildings will at once rebuild. Owing to the destruction of the electric light plant, the town was in darkness last night.

MAYOR FITZGERALD SIGNED THE CONTRACT FOR BOSTON SUBWAY

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—A year's delay in extending the city subway was avoided today by having Mayor Fitzgerald sign contracts that will start the work while on the train on his way back from Chicago. The time given to the city officials to sign the order accepting the recent act of the legislature expired tonight and acting Mayor Collins refused to approve it. "Out of courtesy to the mayor," so that one of the secretaries was obliged to speed west last night and meet Mayor Fitzgerald at Rochester, N. Y., where it was understood the order was signed. The office of the secretary of state will remain open this evening that the signed order may be filed.

WOMAN HAD \$150 SHE WAS CHARGED WITH PETTY LARCENY

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Charged with having taken 45 cents' worth of stuff, including safety pins and baby shoes, from a Jamaica store yesterday, Mrs. Mary Kopko, wife of a contractor of Hempstead, L. I., was found to have over \$150 in her possession, when sequestered at the station house. She said she did not know what possessed her to take the things she did, as her husband is well to do, but she pleaded with Magistrate Connelly not to send her to a cell, as she had a two-months-old baby at home. She was paroled to appear next Wednesday.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

WAS FATALLY INJURED

Battalion Chief Blinded By Smoke Plunged Off Roof

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Battalion Fire Chief William Devlin, in charge of his first dangerous fire since his appointment to command on August 1, fell from the roof of a burning building at No. 506 Broome street to the flagstones of the court yard below last night while groping his way through a cloud of smoke and is dying in St. Vincent's hospital. His spine is fractured and he has serious internal injuries, but retained consciousness up to the time anaesthetics were administered.

The building at No. 506 Broome street is an old-fashioned two-story and basement residence altered for business purposes. The half basement and first story are occupied by William Balleau, Jr., a dealer in gold leaf. The upper story is occupied by the Lyon Knitting company, carrying a stock of yarns and manufactured wools, and it was on this floor that the fire started.

Answers the First Alarm

Devlin, as chief of the third battalion, made his headquarters at Truck company No. 20, in Mercer street, and answered the first alarm. When he arrived there were no flames visible, but the heavy smoke of burning yarns and woolen stuffs enveloped the building. The neighborhood was a dangerous one for a fire and Devlin was anxious to get water to the source of the trouble and prevent its spread.

Calling to his men to follow him, Devlin went up through No. 501, a twin house adjoining to the roof, and jumped from there to the slanting roof of the building in which the fire was located. Captain Jennings of Truck No. 20 and Captain Biggars of Engine company No. 20 were at his heels and the three men were almost stifled and blinded by the heavy smoke.

With heads down the three officers felt their way along the slanting roof searching for a scuttle opening through which water might be poured upon the burning material. Devlin was in advance, working his way to rear of the roof, when suddenly he disappeared. A cry of "Look out!" to his lieutenants was uttered while his body was in the air.

Captains Without Ladders
Captains Jennings and Biggars were without ladders, and the swirling smoke clouds prevented them from seeing anything from the roof of the building. They worked their way back as quickly as possible to the roof of No. 504, fearful for the fate of their chief, and down to the street.

The courtyard of No. 506 was practically a well about four feet square and Jennings and Biggars realized that if Devlin had only been injured by the fall, he was in danger of smothering to death.

Telling one of their men to call an ambulance, and calling to rest of rescue work, the men attempted to break through the basement of the burning building to reach their chief. This work seemed too slow, and they broke through the next building, only to find that it was impossible to reach the courtyard.

FELL DOWN STAIRS

Young Man Met With Serious Injury

Andrew Smith, aged 24 years, fell down a flight of stairs at his home, 9 rear of 100 Tilden street, about two o'clock this morning and sustained injuries to his right leg. The ambulance was summoned and the injured man was taken to the Lowell hospital where an examination was made and it was found that he was suffering from broken bones in the right limb.

Yestere tonight at boat house.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

Sept. 20.—Ralph Clifford Morgan, 22, conductor, Concord, N. H., and Stella May West, 22, at home, Concord, N. H.

Sept. 20.—John C. Usher, 40, cigar maker, 45 Hurd street, and Nellie Z. Robinson, 37, clerk, 36 Albion street.

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GIANNETTI HELD

HE PLEADED "NOT GUILTY" TO CHARGE OF MURDER

SAUGUS, Sept. 21.—Pleading not guilty to a charge of murdering Mrs. Carmela Giannetti, Tony Giannetti was held without bail for another hearing on Sept. 28 when given a hearing in the district court here today. The body of Mrs. Giannetti was found near her home in Cliftondale last Friday, a few hours after she had been stabbed to death. The man under arrest, is a cousin of the husband of the murdered woman.

MRS. STEVENS

WAS FOUND DEAD IN HER BERTH

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The Colonial line steamer Lexington from Providence brought to New York today the body of Mrs. Frederick Stevens of Auburn, Maine, who died aboard during the night. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, who were touring the eastern states on a vacation, were in good health upon boarding the vessel yesterday. Early today the husband found his wife dead in her berth. Death was due to natural causes.

THE TARPON

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FRESH SALMON, lb.	25c
HALIBUT, lb.	18c
FRESH MACKEREL	20c and 25c
Haddock, lb.	7c-10c
Cod, lb.	8c-10c
White Fish, lb.	9c
Flounders, lb.	8c
Butter Fish, lb.	15c
Boston Bluefish, lb.	10c
Pickarel, lb.	22c
Perch, lb.	18c
Sword Fish, lb.	25c
Finnan Haddock, lb.	12c
Oysters, qt.	40c
Clams, qt.	25c
Eng. Boneless Cod, lb.	15c and 18c

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THE GREAT FACTORY SURPLUS SHOE SALE IS ON

The following letter Explains Itself:—

Haverhill, Mass., Sept. 19, 1917.

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Questions. Are the statements relative to \$3.00 welt boots for \$1.09 and \$2.50 and \$3.00 oxfords for \$1.49 true? Are other statements in your advertisements showing such tremendous reductions (for a reliable house like yours) true?

Positively and unqualifiedly, YES, every word absolutely TRUE. Your statements are mild considering that you are offering the Hilliard High Grade Welted and Turn Boots and Shoes at less than the manufacturer's cost in many lots.

We trust that the great sale will result in mutual benefit to you and your customers and that your competitors will not take it so much to heart.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) TOM DALTON,

For the Factory.

THIS LOT CAUSED A FURORE

READ IT!

Ladies' \$3.00 Goodyear Welt Boots, good assortment of styles and leathers; low vamps and high heels.

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Per Pair

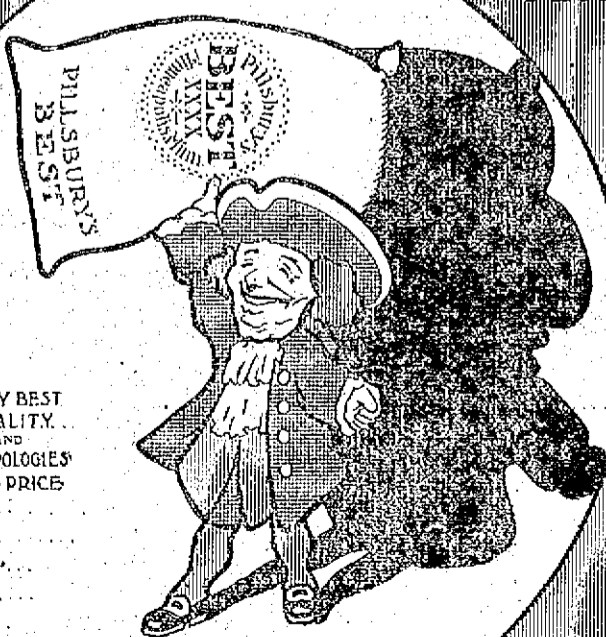
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SEARS WAS SENTENCED

Former Police Officer Was Given Year in House of Correction

Eben W. Sears, Jr., a former police officer in Lynn and later an aspirant for the office of mayor of that city, was arraigned before Judge John D. McLoughlin in the criminal session of the superior court at East Cambridge yesterday afternoon on a complaint charging him with extortion. Through his counsel, James H. Vahey, he entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to one year in the house of correction at Cambridge.

Lawyer Vahey pleaded that his client be placed on probation and afterwards that the sentence be suspended, but the court refused to do so and shortly after the sentence was passed Sears was escorted across the street to the house of correction to start to serve his year.

The charge against Sears was that he extorted money from Hugh Ferguson, proprietor of the St. James hotel of this city, claiming that he had evidence of violations of the law, against Mr. Ferguson which he was willing to "let go" if Mr. Ferguson would come forward with the "long green."

It appears that Sears spent some of his time in this city trying to secure evidence of illegal sales or violations

of the laws in the hotels. Several months ago he sent letters to Mr. Ferguson requesting that the latter meet him. Mr. Ferguson had a talk with Sears and the latter said that he had evidence of violations but that if Mr. Ferguson would "come up" with some money he would not press the matter.

Mr. Ferguson said that he would purchase the evidence and told Sears to call around at a later date. In the meantime Mr. Ferguson reported the matter to the police and on the day that the money was to be passed Lieut. Martin Maher and Inspector John Walsh were in a room adjoining that where Mr. Ferguson and Sears had their conversation. What the officers overheard was sufficient evidence for them to place Sears under arrest, they having heard Sears bargaining with Mr. Ferguson as to the amount to be paid and Sears finally agreeing on not pressing the matter if \$40 was paid him.

Sears was arrested after a slight struggle with the officers and when brought before the court in this city was held for the grand jury and subsequently the grand jury indicted him.

30,000 QUIT WORK

Men Employed in Building Trades Went on Strike Today

MADRID, Sept. 21.—The men employed in the building trades of the city obeyed the strike order and quit work today. Thirty thousand men are involved.

The militia holds the capital in a close grip and acting under the authority of the general decree suspending the constitutional guarantees, the government is maintaining a firm attitude toward the labor leaders, who, it is claimed, are being used by revolutionaries to further a campaign of violence against the state. No disturbances were reported at police headquarters up to early afternoon.

Despatches from the provinces reporting the general situation throughout the country are closely censored, but apparently the prompt and fearless course adopted by the government has been successful in heading off anything like a general suspension of industrial activity which might develop into a revolution. All suspected persons are under surveillance. Many houses have been searched, arms seized and the prisons are filled with political suspects and rioters. The king remains in the capital. The premier said last night that the government would respect the right of the workmen to strike so long as they pursued lawful methods, but he made it clear that if

MAN THOUGHT DEAD TURNED UP IN COURT ALIVE AND WELL

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Lewis Parnazene, alive and well, appeared in the municipal court yesterday despite the belief that he had passed away in his little garret in the west end in the presence of his friends. His friends believed it, the police felt certain of it and his counsel at that time was also convinced, but Tuesday Patrolman J. J. Mahoney of station 2 arrested him on a charge of robbery while he was hanging like a dead man from a beam in the Parnazene "dell."

Parnazene was wanted in connection with a robbery on Howard street, June 8, when Frederick Henning, an actor, was relieved of \$500 by William H. Green. Green was in court yesterday morning in prison garb, and said that his "rise" friend had nothing whatever to do with the Howard street job, but Judge Bennett found probable

WERE SLAIN IN BED

Six Persons Were Found Dead in Their Homes in Colorado

COLORADO SPRINGS, Sept. 21.—Butchered in their beds with an axe, the bodies of six persons, three in each of two neighboring houses, were found yesterday. The heads of all had been smashed in and they had been dead several days.

A report that the murderer had been caught and had confessed, was denied by the police, who feared a lynching. An axe which had been loaned to Mrs. Henry Wayne, one of the victims, by J. R. Evans, a neighbor, last week, was found, blood-stained, by Mrs. Evans on Monday near the back door of the Wayne home. No attention was paid, as it was thought the axe had been used in killing chickens.

The dead are: Mrs. Alice May Burnham, wife of A. J. Burnham, cook at the Modern Woodmont Sanatorium; their children, Alice, aged 6, and John, aged 3 years; Henry F. Wayne, a consumptive, until recently a patient at the sanatorium; Mrs. Wayne and their 1-year-old baby.

The discovery of the bodies was made by a neighbor who called at the Burnham home. Getting no response and noticing a strong odor, she forced an entrance.

Burnham, who lives at the sanatorium, caused and bound Parnazene over for the grand jury in \$2000.

Parnazene obtained his release before on the plea that he was dying of consumption.

SLEPT 64 HOURS MISS ENGLISH OF MALDEN IS CONSCIOUS AGAIN

MALDEN, Sept. 21.—After having been asleep 64 hours, during which time she was practically lifeless, Miss Mary English, a trained nurse, awoke yesterday at her home, 201 Emerald street. Although at first it was believed that she was suffering from having taken a headache powder, later it developed that she suffered from brain trouble. She gives indication of rapidly recovering and is getting along very comfortably.

Sunday Miss English was afflicted with a severe headache and took a powder which she purchased at a drug store. She went to sleep soon afterward and efforts to awaken her were unavailing until yesterday, when she opened her eyes and spoke to her mother, Dr. C. D. McCarthy stated that it was an affection of the brain and that the patient will recover soon.

Miss English had just completed duty Saturday on a typhoid fever case, and when she first was taken sick it was thought that she might have contracted the disease.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The members of the local division of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America met in regular session Tuesday night at their rooms in the Union bank building in Merrimack street. President Henry J. Draper occupied the chair and there was a large attendance. Mr. Draper made a brief address on matters of interest to the members.

One proposition for membership was received and one candidate was initiated.

A committee of four was appointed to run a social talk in October, the following members being selected: John McDowell, Michael Ryan, Joseph Garvey and Edward Tucke, Jr. President Draper, as delegate, is preparing to attend the meeting of the joint conference committee, which takes place the first Monday in October, in Boston.

Knights of Pythias

A committee from the Lowell lodge, No. 24, Knights of Pythias met and completed arrangements for the reception to be given the deputy grand chancellor on Thursday evening.

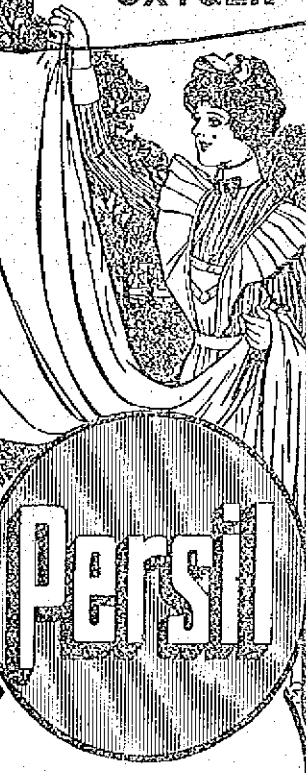
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A NAVAL INQUIRY Into Cause of Collision Between Olympic and British Cruiser

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 21.—The White Star liner Olympic, which was damaged by the cruiser Hawke yesterday, left her moorings early this morning and assisted by six powerful tugs made her way slowly back to the dock here. Great crowds watched the passage of the steamer into the harbor, while the passengers who had spent a comfortable night aboard lined the wharves. Special trains were waiting for the first and second class passengers, many of whom were going to London to await the sailing of other vessels on which the company had obtained accommodations for them. It is expected that all of these will get away within ten days. The American liner St. Louis will take some Saturday and others will go on the Holland-American steamer Noordam Saturday. The third class passengers will proceed on the St. Louis and the Majestic. As soon as her cargo has been discharged the Olympic will be patched up sufficiently to enable her to proceed to Belfast, where the repairs will be completed. A naval inquiry will be held at Portsmouth soon to fix the blame for the accident, but the decision of the naval court will be withheld until the civil courts decide the question of damages as between the two vessels.

After Five Thousand Years of Drudgery, Women Can Now Wash Clothes with OXYGEN



The Self-Acting OXYGEN Washing Compound

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Thirty Million Pounds of PERSIL were Used in Germany Last Year

Now PERSIL has come to America. This wonderful Oxygen cleanser is almost at your very door. Grocers in this city—doubtless your own grocer—can supply you with PERSIL. One washing with PERSIL will prove what a marvelous cleanser it is. Get a package and see for yourself what a triumph of science it is.

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Couch Covers, in Oriental and Roman styles, 60 inches wide, 3 yards long, with fringe or gimp edge, \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50 up to \$10.

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Oil Cloth, heavy quality, filed back, square yard **29c**
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9x12 feet Japanese Rugs, worth \$5.50, each **\$2.98**
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9x12 ft. Bigelow Axminster Rugs, slight mismatch, worth \$32.00, **\$18.50**
Bigelow Wilton Kymrie Rugs, size 9x12 ft., worth \$40.00, sample patterns, **\$28.00**
Bigelow Arlington Rugs, size 9x12, sample patterns, worth \$40.00 **\$30.00**

SHEETS, BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS

11-4 Blankets, wool nap, worth \$2.50, pair, **\$1.69**
11-4 Blankets, wool nap, worth \$3.00, pair, **\$1.98**
11x4 Blankets, worth 98c, pair, **79c**
Comforters, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.75, \$1.98 up to \$5.50.
Bed Spreads, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.75, \$1.98 up to \$5.00 each.
72x90 Sheets **49c**
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DANGER OF A FAMINE

Rice Crop in the Philippines Has Failed

MANILA, Sept. 21.—Danger of a famine in the Philippines on account of the failure of the rice crop has become so threatening that Governor General Forbes today decided to order the purchase by the government of an entire shipload of the cereal in Hongkong. The cargo will be sold to the people at cost.

ELUDED POLICE

MAN CUT HIS WAY OUT OF JAIL

WOODSVILLE, N. H., Sept. 21.—One of the most daring break-outs ever perpetrated at the county jail has just come to light and which took place last Sunday night, having been kept from the public, hoping ere this that the prisoner would be captured. The man who made his escape is Robert B. Sanders, alias Frank Davis, who June 15 held up the bookkeeper and robbed the office of W. D. Veazey & Co. at West Thornton. A man by the name of Howard, his alleged accomplice, is now in jail awaiting trial. Sanders was arrested in Boston early in August, and placed in the jail here.

There is no question but what he had outside help in planning and making his escape, for he left behind in his cell a hacksaw, a keyhole saw, possession of which was gained by taking his bed sheet, punching it through a window, when the saw was fastened to the sheet and returned to the prisoner. He made his exit by sawing a bar in his cell, which led him into the corridor, then he sawed his way into the outside corridor by cutting another bar. From this corridor he cut a window bar, made a hole in the window and escaped to the outside of the jail. He was furnished with a loaded shotgun by his outside friends, and with the aid

of his revolver he frightened a neighboring prisoner. Sanders' wife is working in a hotel here. No clue to the prisoner or his assistants have been discovered as yet.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Ralph Clifford Morgan and Miss Stella May West, both of Concord, N. H., were married yesterday at 11 o'clock, by the Rev. Benjamin A. Wilcox, at his residence, 315 Beacon street. The young couple were unattended and after a short wedding tour will make their home in Concord.

WIDGER-BRIGHAM

The marriage of Mr. Thurlow S. Widger, Harvard '11, of Brookline, and Miss Eleanor M. Brigham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brigham of 111 Madison street, was solemnized last night by the Rev. Charles T. Billings of this city, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's parents. The officiating clergyman was assisted by the Rev. E. P. Hayward of Marlboro.

The bride was attended by Miss (Gladys B. Dechert of Schuytkill Haven, Pa., as maid of honor, and Miss Josephine T. Sackett of Providence, R. I., Miss Sarah S. Sackett of Providence, R. I., Miss Clara E. Jordan of Middletown, N. Y., and Miss Eleanor Widger of Brookline as bridesmaids. Mr. Robert B. Morse, Harvard '11, of Marlboro, was the best man. Mr. Robert Brigham, Mr. Harold G. Tomlin, Harvard '08, of Marlboro, Mr. William R. Morrison, Harvard '10, of Boston and Mr. Carl C. Brigham, Princeton '12 were the ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home which was attended by many of the friends of the bride and bridegroom from Lowell, Marlboro, Boston, Providence, Brookline and cities in New York and Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Widger left early in the evening on a short wedding journey after which they will reside in Dorchester.

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NEW CITY CHARTER



ALONZO G. WALSH



THOMAS J. GOYETTE

Was Discussed at the Citizens Americans Club Last Night

Again the rooms of the Citizens Americans club in Dutton street, were well filled last night, the occasion being the third smoke talk of the season, the feature of which was an interesting work for the money appropriated would be done. Another of Mr. Cheney's questions was: "Would the campaign for commissioner under this new form of government be the same as that for mayor under the present form, and if so, where would the average French-American fit in as far as campaign expenses were concerned?" In reply Mr. Walsh said there were several business men of that nationality who could easily uphold them, and that he hoped, and it would only be right, that one of them serve on the new commission if the charter be adopted.

Several other questions of minor importance were asked and answered to the best of the speaker's ability, and then Mr. Thomas J. Goyette was introduced to speak in French. The latter was well received, and he began by saying it was a pleasure to go through his regular program, but that he would give 20 reasons why a man should vote for the new charter, and that this evening he would be at the C. M. A. C. hall in Pawtucket street, where the Canadian election returns will be given, and that at that time he would answer any question or talk on the new form of government.

The reasons as given by the speaker are as follows:

- 1st—Because we need a change, and the charter seems to answer our needs.
- 2d—It abolishes party line.
- 3d—It gives a short ballot.
- 4th—It is a concentration of power like the largest business firms such as insurance companies, railroads, etc.
- 5th—The responsibility of the administration of municipal affairs rests on a small body of men.
- 6th—It is economical, one dollar producing one dollar.
- 7th—With it there are chances for lower tax rates, many cities having proven this under the new form of government.
- 8th—It calls for a general election, it abolishes ward representation, it is like the administration of a town, and the entire district is not only on the ballot.
- 9th—It separates the license commission from the police commission.
- 10th—It privileges the school board to say how and where the schools should be built.
- 11th—It abolishes conflict between departments.
- 12th—By its adoption there is a fine and a jail sentence for over expenditure from appropriation funds.
- 13th—It calls for public monthly statements of all transactions and financial situation.
- 14th—With it the head of a department can be shifted to another department for better administration.
- 15th—The office appointments are made by five men instead of one.
- 16th—Men are salaried, thus affording good select men.
- 17th—The referendum to stop all dangerous moves.
- 18th—There is the initiative to push such movement as the public hall.
- 19th—There is the recall to punish or create a fear to avoid punishment.
- 20th—It will be the first chance in years for the public to have a change in politics. The first chance for the people to administer their own interests.

Mr. Goyette in giving his reasons spoke straight to the point and made a good impression on his listeners. He then answered several important questions, among which were the following: "Is it true that street and water department employees will lose their places if the new charter is adopted?" "Is it true that foreigners from out of town will be drafted here to do city work if the new charter is adopted?" "Will the new municipal council of five have the power to build up a political machine to hold them in office?"

To each of these questions the speaker answered to the best of his ability and in a satisfactory manner. On the recall question a few repetitions were made by the public, John Donahue and Ferdinand Rousseau. The referendum committee was as follows: Tremblay, Nordet, George Pelletier and Louis Gingras.

The committee in charge of the affair was composed as follows: Albert Bergeron, chairman; J. E. Guimond, secretary; John Arvids, John Donahue and Ferdinand Rousseau. The referendum committee was as follows: Tremblay, Nordet, George Pelletier and Louis Gingras.

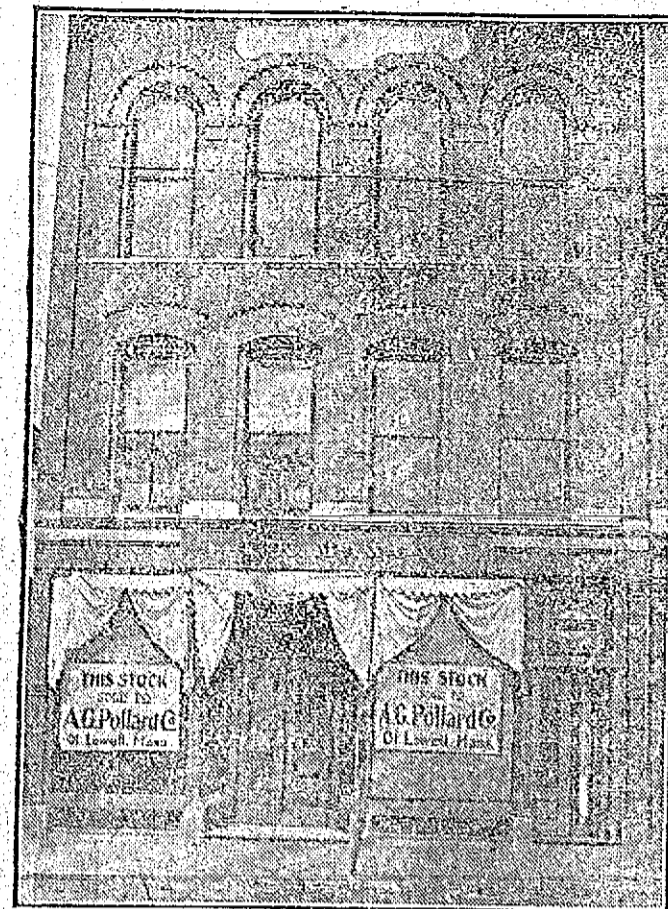
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Fine Domest Flannel, full pieces, Maxey price 10c, at..... 7c yard
Heavy Twill Domest, Maxey price 12 1/2c, at..... 8c yard
White Wool Flannel:
25c value at..... 15c yard
20c value at..... 17c yard
30c value at..... 20c yard
25c value at..... 25c yard
Outing Flannel, large assortment of patterns, good heavy fleeced, Maxey price 10c yard, at..... 6 1/2c yard

LINEN COUNTER

Brown Linen Crash, good heavy quality, Maxey price 8c, at..... 5c yard
Bleached Linen Crash, good absorbent quality, Maxey price 10c, at..... 6c yard
Bleached and Unbleached Crash-cases, colored border and plain white, full pieces, Maxey price 10c, at..... 8c yard
Turkish Towels, Maxey price 10c, at..... 7c each
Huck Towels, good heavy quality, Maxey price 10c, at..... 7c each
Extra Large Linen Huck Towels, Maxey price 10c, at..... 12c each
Cotton Damask, bleached, very fine quality, Maxey price 25c, at..... 20c yard
Mercerized Damask, very fine quality in handsome patterns: Maxey price 30c, at..... 30c
Maxey price 50c, at..... 40c
Linen Damask, Maxey price 60c, at..... 50c yard
Linen Damask, Maxey price 30c, at..... 65c yard
Fast Color Damask, Maxey price 50c, at..... 32c yard
8-4 Mercerized Table Covers, Maxey price \$1.00, at..... 69c yard
10-4 Mercerized Table Covers, Maxey price \$1.25, at..... 89c
8-4 Fast Color Table Covers, Maxey price \$1.00, at..... 69c
10-4 Fast Color Table Covers, Maxey price \$1.25, at..... 75c
12-4 Fast Color Table Covers, Maxey price \$1.50, at..... 89c
50 Good Large Crochet Spreads, first quality, Maxey price \$1.50, at..... \$1.20
35 Fine Satin Finish Spreads, in handsome designs, Maxey price \$2.50, at..... \$1.50
30 Good Heavy Crochet Spreads, cut corners and fringe, Maxey price \$2.00, at..... \$1.50

COTTON BLANKETS

Full 10-4 Cotton Blankets, white and gray, Maxey price 55c, at..... 50c pair
11-4 Cotton Blankets, white and gray, Maxey price 59c, at..... 60c pair
11-4 Heavy Cotton Blankets, white and gray, Maxey price \$1.00, at..... 80c pair
Wool Nap Blankets, white and gray, Maxey price \$1.50, at..... \$1.19 pair
Heavy Wool Nap Blankets, Maxey price \$2.00, at..... \$1.39 pair

COMFORTERS

Heavy Comforters:
Maxey price \$1.50, at..... \$1.25
Maxey price \$2.00, at..... \$1.50
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Apron Gingham, large remnants, Maxey price 7c, at..... 4c yard
Fine Apron Gingham, Maxey price 8c, at..... 6 1/2c yard
Flannelette in remnants, handsome patterns, Maxey price 10c, at..... 10c
Bleached Cream and Arabian Checked Serim, Maxey price 12 1/2c, at..... 8c yard
Fine Curtain Muslin, Maxey price 10c yard, at..... 8c yard
Fine Nainsook, Maxey price 20c, at..... 12 1/2c yard
40-inch Lawn, Maxey price 10c, at..... 5c yard
Fine India Lawn, Maxey price 10c, at..... 8c yard
Very Fine India Lawn, Maxey price 25c yard, at..... 15c yard

COTTONS

Bleached Cotton, 33 inches wide, Maxey price 6c yard, at..... 4c yard
36-inch Bleached Cotton:
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Maxey price 10c, at..... 7 1/2c yard
Hill Cotton, Maxey price 12 1/2c, at..... 8c yard
Seamless Sheet, bleached:
Maxey price, 8-0, 30c, at..... 22c yard
Maxey price, 9-4, 32c, at..... 24c yard
Maxey price, 10-4, 34c, at..... 26c yard
Atlantic Tubing:
Maxey price, 38 in., 15c, at..... 11c
Maxey price, 42 in., 15c, at..... 12c
Maxey price, 45 in., 20c, at..... 13c
Lonsdale Cambric, Maxey price 12 1/2c yard, at..... 10c yard

Brown Cotton, full pieces, Hudson, Maxey price 10c, at..... 8c yard
Cherry Mountain, Maxey price 8c, at..... 5 1/2c yard
Remnants of Brown Cotton:
32 in., Maxey price 6c, at..... 4c yard
36 in., Maxey price 8c, at..... 5 1/2c yard
40 in., Maxey price 10c, at..... 7c yard
Bleached Sheets, 72x90, Maxey price 50c, at..... 33c
Bleached Seamless Sheets, 80x90, Maxey price 60c, at..... 55c
Brown Sheets, 81x90, Maxey price 50c, at..... 39c

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Fine Valenciennes Lace, Maxey prices 5c and 10c yard, at..... 3c yard
Linen and Torchon Laces, Maxey prices 5c and 10c, at..... 4c yard
Point de Paris Lace, Maxey prices 10c to 20c yard, at..... 6 1/2c yard
Fine Embroideries, Maxey prices 5c to 8c yard, at..... 4c yard
Embroideries, Maxey prices 10c to 12 1/2c, at..... 8c yard
All-over, Maxey prices 85c to 60c yard, at..... 20c yard
All-over, Maxey price 30c, at..... 20c yard

Ladies Neckwear:
Maxey price 10c, at..... 5c
Maxey price 25c, at..... 15c
Handkerchiefs:
Maxey price 5c, at..... 3c apiece
Maxey price 9c, at..... 4c apiece
Maxey price 12 1/2c, at..... 9c apiece
Maxey price 25c, at..... 15c apiece

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Ladies Jersey and Ribbed Vests, Maxey price 15c, at..... 10c
Ladies Jersey Vests, regular and extra sizes, Maxey price 25c, at..... 15c
Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Maxey price 50c, at..... 35c
Ladies' Union Suits, Maxey price 25c, at..... 15c
Ladies' Waists:
Maxey price 75c, at..... 35c
Maxey price \$1.00, at..... \$2.98
Maxey price \$1.50, at..... \$98c
Ladies' Silk Waists, Maxey prices \$3 to \$4, at..... \$1.99
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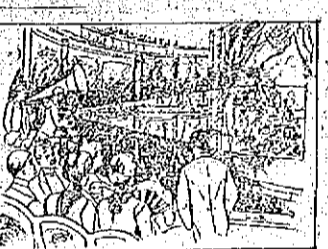
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At the Opera house tonight Harry Kelly's production of Campbell and Skinner's successful musical comedy, "His Honor the Mayor," with Harry Kelly in his original role of Deacon Flood, in which he appeared at Wallack's theatre, New York city for a run of over six months and has since appeared in nearly every city on the continent. "His Honor the Mayor" is too well known to the public to make it necessary to enlarge upon the worth provoking qualities of the piece. It will suffice to say that the piece runs with unvarying success for five seasons. Mr. Kelly is adding a new and elaborate revival and is meeting with all the success due to his foresight and being greeted with packed houses wherever he has played.

Mr. Kelly is surrounded with an exceptionally strong cast, all of which played in the original production and a chorus famous for its beauty and vivacity.

New costumes and scenery, made expressly for this tour which will probably be the last season of this remarkable laugh-provoking performance at the Opera house, tonight.—Adv.

"THE GIRL IN THE TAXI"

When "The Girl in the Taxi" comes to the Opera house for an engagement of two nights beginning tomorrow was put in rehearsal, the greatest care was taken to overlook not even the smallest detail in equipment and atmosphere.

The first and third acts of "The Girl in the Taxi" occurs in the beautifully appointed home of John Stewart on Riverside Drive, New York. The second act of "The Girl in the Taxi" reveals the elaborately appointed private dining room of New York's best known restaurant where the elite of the metropolis congregate after the theatre to enjoy the midnight supper which is as much a part of a New Yorker's evening entertainment as the play itself. Permission was granted the stage director and artist to copy these rooms as faithfully as the Riverside Drive apartments and the result is shown in the second act of the play. In this scene, however, two rooms are shown instead of one, which permits the development of the funniest climax ever devised on the stage. John Stewart, the banker who pretends to possess all the domestic virtues in his home, is making merry with a party of chorus girls. In the adjoining room Bertie Stewart, his son, is keeping his first "date" with a woman whom he had but recently met. The climax comes when the father, overjoyed with the joy of his midnight lark, decides to invite the people in the next room to join his own party and, upon opening the door, discovers that the chief reveller is his own innocent son.—Adv.

"THE NEST EGG"

The first performance here of Anne Caldwell's new American comedy "The Nest Egg," which will serve to intro-

duce Zella Sears as a star in this city, will be given at the Opera house, Monday, Sept. 23.

Although never having appeared at the head of a company, Miss Sears is well known to the theatregoers of this city, having played the comedy roles in almost every play written by the late Clyde Fitch, from the days of "Lovers' Lane" to "The Blue Mouse." "The Nest Egg" was written for Miss Sears. The cast includes many familiar names among which are Charles Lane, Charles Gotthold, Julian Harlow, H. Bratton Kennedy, Walter Young, Blanche Hall, Evelyn Varden, Helen Lindoth and Beatrice Allen.

The cast and production are the same which characterized the long run of this play in New York city at the Bijou theatre, and the Chicago Opera house, Chicago, Ill., and comes to Lowell direct from a very successful engagement at the Park theatre, Boston.—Adv.

"THE NEWLYWEDS"

Countess Olga Von Hatzfeldt, in "The Newlyweds and Their Baby" company, which comes to the Opera house next week is the perfect image of Mrs. Newlywed. She is pretty, has a handsome figure and possesses a splendid voice, which she uses with rare effect.—Adv.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

"His conception of the life in the frozen north, during the gold fever

time is as complete and as graphic as the casual reader would wish it to be." This quotation is taken from the comment of a noted book critic after reading the book on "The Barrier," the dramatization of which is being given by Donald Meek stock company, with his associate players at this playhouse this week. Rex Beach, the author of the book, is one of the most popular novelists of this country and his various works descriptive of the life and conditions of the inhabitants of the great northwest and the frozen north, besides being extensively read in this country, have met with much favor in Europe and other foreign countries.

The offering of the company next week will be "Naughty Rebecca," an American stage. This farce, which brings an old flounder who has been a great lover of his fireside into exceedingly comical surroundings and situations the first night he spends at Burns' cafe, acquiring his first "tag."

Before he leaves the house for his justification his wife departs with the intention of remaining up all night with her sister, who is ill. When his wife is safely out of the way he goes to the cafe and forms the acquaintance of an actress, who, after having the old fellow order large supper and, leaving him and does not return. After waiting sometime for his "friend," the old man starts drinking the champagne and eating the palatable dinner before him, and in a few minutes is a sight to

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behold. Two young married women attire themselves in opera cloaks of the same style and color and go to the restaurant for the purpose of trapping their husbands, who, they are inclined to believe, have gone to the cafe instead of the opera. The wife of the man happens to have a clear idea of the game being played and, in the young wives, and this is appropriated by her maid, who also is a patron of Burns'. "Wishing to look her prettiest she borrows" a bracelet belonging to her mistress, which she loses at the cafe. It is found by a gentleman on the stairs the following morning, and this is where the farcical happenings and explanations commence. Mr. Meek will portray the old man, and will furnish the usual clean-cut comedy. Miss Horton, Mr. Fellowes and Mr. Walsh, a Lowell boy, will have characters which will give them opportunities to show their ability.—Adv.

THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons shows as one of the features of the Pathe Weekly its illustrated news film auto races recently held in Elgin, Ill. and at Bordeaux, France. They furnish a most interesting comparison between the French and American road courses. Only those who have personal knowledge of the French courses can appreciate their difficulty and the thrilling nature of the contests held on them. Another feature is President Taft and the G. A. R. veterans in their annual encampment at Rochester, N. Y. railroad men will be especially interested in two wreck pictures taken in New York during the week which caused the death of 25 veterans on their way home from Rochester and the other in Middletown, Conn.—Adv.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Of the many first-class offerings seen at the Merrimack Square theatre during the present season, few can compare with the excellent bill being presented at this popular playhouse this week. Miss Mabel McKinley, the talented singer, who is entertaining in a brace of songs, is delighting her audiences afternoon and evening. Her numbers vary, from the more classical pieces to the latest in popular songs, and the program is sure to satisfy the fancy of all. One of her own latest compositions, "I Want a Girl," promises to become popular. They're whistling it on the street, and that's a sure sign of its general popularity. The presentation of Henry D. Coolidge's favorite one-act play, "For Him," by the members of our stock company is without doubt one of the best short story plays in vaudeville. Interpretation by Kendall Weston and the other members of our stock company is very cleverly done and is receiving general approbation from all sides. The staging of the piece is very pleasing. The other numbers on the week's bill, Nelson and Milledge, Ed Winchester and Miss Anna McMahon, all share in the week's honors. The photo plays are changed today. Telephone 2055.—Adv.

KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

If you are contemplating attending any of the coming performances of this week at B. F. Keith's new theatre in Bridge street you had better procure your tickets while there's a chance of selection because those who have seen the bill which Manager Will H. Stevens is given have passed the word about to their friends and neighbors that it is "a good bill" and the remaining performances for today, tomorrow and Saturday will without doubt be attended by large audiences. Heading a bill replete with feature acts is the legitimate comedy star, Rose Coglian, who after attaining a position with the lowest wages in this line of work, has forgotten the legitimate for the vaudeville stage.

She is presenting a one act sketch from her own pen and which she has called "Between Matinee and Night." She is assisted by her daughter, who has also had some experience as a thespian, having played the part of the salvation agent in the Travelling Salesman for several seasons. The others making up the excellent bill are Leo Carullo, monologist; Thomas Moir and company in his playlet "The Iceman;" Hilda Hawthorne, ventriloquist; The Great Santell, in feats of strength; Boulden and Cutter, entertainers and Kit Karson, sharpshooter. Several reels of the latest photo plays close the bill.

Yesterday afternoon Manager Stevens announced his bill for the next week, and the show will have as a lead Dr. Carl Hermann, known as the wizard of electricity. During his act Dr. Hermann lodges more than enough volts in the "juice" in his system than would be required to run the ordinary men. The purely scientific character of Dr. Hermann's act is enough to make it a stellar attraction. Among the other acts are: Hurlan Knight and company, "The Rube From Maine," with his true to life sketch, "The Chalk Line." Mr. Knight was born and bred in a little village near Kennebunkport, Me., and acquired his love for the stage life through association with actors who used to spend the dull season recuperating on his father's farm. It is said that the act is based on an actual happening which occurred in the general store of his home town. Mr. and Mrs. Alston will give "Minnie from Minnesota." The twin, after having spent several years with the "What Happened to Jones" company, from which the act is taken, gave up membership with the company for the sole intention of giving the act in vaudeville. The act is said to be screamingly funny, and it has gone big wherever it has been given. The other acts are John Neff and Carrie Star, in the laughable satire, "The Brain Storm Muscular;" Roeder and Lester in a marvelous exhibition of gymnastics; Harry Pantelle and Viola Vallorie, eliter, and Eugene Brodsky, "The Dancing Boys." Concerts will be given Sunday afternoon and evening, and will include four acts and five reels of moving pictures.

Tickets may be ordered in advance by phone 28. There are no reserved seats sold for the Sunday concerts. The prices are: 20 cents for the main floor and first balcony, and 10 cents for the second balcony, and the patron is entitled to any seat.

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HERE'S LUCK FOR SOME WOMEN

The M. & C. Mfg. Co., Boston, Mass., has sold us the balance of their Sample Line of Skirts—the cream of the lot. On Friday Morning we will sell them at HALF PRICE.

AT \$2.49—Women's New Fall Skirts, in serges, Panamas, mohairs and fancy mixtures. The regular price is \$5.00.
AT \$3.49—Panamas, Serges and Prunella Skirts, in black and colors. The regular price is \$7.50.
AT \$7.50—Black Voile Skirts, with taffeta silk drop. The regular price is \$13.98.

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Women's Drawers, of good cambric, with ruffle of tucks and narrow embroidery. All sizes, open or closed. Regular price 25c, 19c Pair
Women's Drawers, of fine quality cambric, with deep ruffle of Swiss embroidery. Regular price 50c 39c Pair
Combination, Cover and Drawers, of muslin, cover of all over embroidery, sizes 34 to 40. Regular price 75c 50c
Women's Long White Skirts, of cambric, with full ruffle of pin tucks. Regular price 50c 29c
Children's Night Robes, of cambric, with yoke of tucks and embroidery, high neck, long sleeves, 2 to 10 years. Regular price 50c, 25c

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Women's Caps Skin Gloves, new and unusual and you will agree that they are rather wonderful at the price when you see the fineness of the skins, their pliability and flexibility. Pretty autumn tans with smart flat needle stitching on the back. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price 79c Pair
Women's Fine Quality Kid Gloves, 3 rows Paris point stitching, slightly spotted. A regular \$1.25 glove. Sale price 75c Pair
Women's Lambskin Gloves, in black, white, tans, browns, gray, champagne and mode. Regular \$1.00 value. Sale price, 59c Pair

MILL END SALE OF

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AT THESE PRICES THE LOTS WON'T LAST LONG

Children's Fine Ribbed Hose, fast black, double heel and toe. Regular price 12 1/2c. Sale price 6 1/2c Pair
Women's Black Silk Lisle Hose, double garter top, extra double heel and toe. Seconds of the 25c goods. Sale price 2 pairs for 25c
Women's Black Cashmere Hose, high spliced heels and double soles, full fashioned, 50c quality. Sale price 25c Pair
Women's Black Pure Silk Hose, lisle tops, double heel and toe. Special sale price 35c Pair
Women's Burson Fashioned Hose, seamless, shaped foot, narrowed ankle. Regular price 25c. Sale price 19c Pair

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Women's Fleece Union Suits, in all sizes, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, hand crocheted and pearl buttons. Seconds of the \$1.25 quality. Mill End Sale Price 79c
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Women's Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck, sleeveless, in plain and trimmed, 39c and 50c quality. Mill End Sale Price 12 1/2c
Women's Low Neck, Sleeveless Vests, 12 1/2c quality. Mill End Sale Price 6 1/2c

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1 lot Nottingham Curtains, \$2.50 value, for \$1.75 Pair
1 lot Nottingham Curtains, \$2.75 value, for \$1.98 Pair
1 lot Irish Point Curtains, \$3.75 value, for \$2.98 Pair
1 lot Irish Point Curtains, \$4.50 value, for \$3.49 Pair
1 lot Irish Point Curtains, \$5.00 value, for \$3.98 Pair
1 lot Cluny Curtains, white and Arab, \$2.00 value, for \$1.49 Pair
1 lot Serim Curtains, \$1.39 value, for 98c Pair
1 lot Portieres, red and green, \$3.75 value, for \$2.75 Pair
1 lot Portieres, red and green, \$4.00 value, for \$2.98 Pair
1 lot Portieres, red and green, \$4.50 value, for \$3.49 Pair
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25 Large Nutmegs..... 6c
Karo Corn Syrup, can..... 8c
Clams, can..... 8c
Red Karo, 15c size..... 10c
Corn Starch..... 4c, 7 for 25c

Sugar - - - 7c Lb.
10 lbs. to a customer.

Best Potatoes 20c Pk.
Cabbage..... 1c lb.
LETTUCE..... 2c
Radishes..... 2 1-2c lb.
Bermuda Onions..... 4c lb.
Native Cucumbers..... 1c
Celery..... 8c
Corn..... 8c doz.
Fresh Tomatoes..... 2c lb.
Shell Beans..... 15c pk.
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Grapes..... 10c basket

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Best Hamburg Steak,
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First Cut Best Roast
Beef From best heavy steer beef,
10c lb.

Best Sirloin Roast
12 1/2c Lb.

Sugar Cured Hams, 16c
Frankfurts, 3 lbs. 25c

Best Roast Pork Loins
13c lb.

Smoked Shoulders,
9c and 10c lb.
Best Rump Steak, best
cuts from heavy beef
15c to 20c lb.

Choice Fancy Corned
Beef 6c and 7c lb.

Sugar Cured Hams, lb..... 16c
Rump Butts, lb..... 8c and 9c
Round Steak, 2 lbs. for..... 25c
Frankfurts..... 3 lbs. for 25c
Fresh Killed Fowl, lb..... 15c
Salt Spare Ribs, lb..... 7 1/2c

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3 Lb. Can Egg Plums..... 10c
Royalton and Gold Tip Brands.
3 Lb. Can Peas, Best Brand..... 8c
Blueberries, Loggie Brand..... 13c
Shrimps, can..... 11c
Wax Beans and String Beans, can..... 6c
Challenge Condensed Milk, can..... 9c
Van Camps Peerless Milk..... 3 for 25c
5 lb. Package Gold Dust Wash Powder 17c

TOMATOES - - 8c
CORN - - - 8c Can
PEAS - - - 10c

Butter Thins..... 4c pkg.
Unecudas..... 4c pkg.
Fancy Assorted Crackers..... 7 1-2c lb.
Maple Syrup, large bottle..... 25c

Special for Campers

Deviled Ox Tongue..... 4c
Lunch Tongue..... 14c and 25c
Ham Loaf..... 6c
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English Style Corned Beef..... 10c
Sliced Smoked Beef..... 10c
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Ready Lunch..... 6c
Tripe, can..... 6c
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See Brands, 10c size..... 7c
Melbourne Cocoa, purity, quality and
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1-lb. can 25c; 1/2-lb. 14c; 1/4-lb. 7c
Pure Chocolate, 1/2-lb. pkg..... 14c

Pure Spices—Cloves, Cinnamon, Ginger,
White Pepper, Black Pepper, Mustard,
Sage, Allspice, Nutmeg, 1/4-lb. pkg.
5c and 6c
Fancy Tomatoes, can..... 8c
Best Green Corn, can..... 10c
Sweet Corn, can..... 8c
Black Raspberries, can..... 9c

Terms: \$150 to be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off.
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THE PUBLIC RECORDS

Were Inspected by Commissioner Woods Today

Henry Ernest Woods, commissioner of public records, was in Lowell today and viewed the keeping of the records in this city. After looking over the vaults at city hall he called on Mayor McLean and told the mayor that some changes would be necessary in the arrangement of the vault and that he would notify the city council, through the mayor, to that effect. Under a law, that is comparatively new, no combustible are allowed in vaults where records of cities or towns are kept and the changes that the commissioner will order made in the vaults at city hall have to do particularly with the elimination of combustible fittings. Commissioner Woods visited the police station, police board and the central

CAPTAIN McKISSOCK

Arranging for the State Convention of the Firemen

Captain McKissock of the Lowell fire department, who is chairman of the program committee for the coming convention which is to be held in Lawrence Oct. 19, 20, has arranged the following program of speeches to be given at the convention:

"Fire, fire departments and laws in connection with same."

"Comparative merits of solid, vs. pneumatic tires on combination fire automobiles."

"What progress has been made to date in the development of motor driven and driven pumps to take the place of steam fire engines?"

"What progress has been made to date in the development of motor propelled ladder trucks?"

"How best to improve firemen mentality and intellectuality."

"Bills introduced in the legislature of 1911 and laws affecting firemen."

"The operation and care of automobile fire apparatus."

"Description of and progress to date of the committee in establishing a metropolitan fire district for the purpose of forming a system of notification of fire alarms among the chiefs."

"Will the use of gasoline as a motive power in fire apparatus compel the installation of electricity for lighting and heating purposes in fire stations, and the reason therefor."

"Of what interest can the association be made to the small town or country fire departments, who are practically voluntary?"

"What good, if any, has civil service done the fire department of the state?"

"How best to eliminate politics in fire departments, and the management of same."

"A business man's ideas of how permanent firemen should best use their leisure minutes."

"A comparison of the firemen and fire departments of today and those of twenty years ago."

"The system of efficiency of the protective department of Brooklyn, N. Y."

"Government of fire departments. What is the best form, and reasons therefor."

"The care of hose under all conditions, and how best to preserve its lasting qualities."

DR. SMITH ON TRIAL

The Case Opened in the Superior Court

The case of Dr. Sumner P. Smith of this city, who is charged with abortion, was called at the East Cambridge session of the superior court this afternoon. He entered a plea of not guilty and the presentation of testimony was in order. The trial will not be completed until tomorrow.

REV. FR. SHERMAN

SUFFERS A MENTAL BREAKDOWN

SAN JOSE, Cal., Sept. 21.—Rev. Thomas E. Sherman, son of General William Tecumseh Sherman, who led the march from Atlanta to the sea during the Civil war, today is an inmate of the state hospital for the insane at Agnew. Father Sherman, accounted one of the most brilliant orators in the Jesuit order, came here from Chicago a month or so ago in an endeavor to regain his health. His nervous system, having suffered a severe breakdown while he was delivering lectures in coast cities. Lately he has been resting at Los Gatos but his mental condition grew worse and becoming violent he threatened suicide.

He was brought to this city and committed to the asylum for special treatment.

A WELL KNOWN LECTURER

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—Father Sherman is known from coast to coast as a lecturer before Protestant audiences on the beliefs of the Roman Catholic church. He was brought into wide publicity in 1906 when he launched a movement to lead an army of United States troops over the famous route his father followed in his march to the sea. The plan was strongly opposed in the south. Theodore Roosevelt, then president, called the militant priest to Washington and ordered him to abandon the plan. This was done.

During the Spanish-American war he served as chaplain of the fourth of Missouri volunteers. After the close of the campaign he remained in Porto Rico as chaplain of the military post of San Juan.

WHITNEY'S HORSE WON

ATL. Scotland, Sept. 21.—The juvenile handicap of 200 sovereigns for two year olds, distance five furlongs, run at the western meeting today, was won by H. P. Whitney's "Wild Pigeon" filly. The Salford filly was second and Quetta III third. There were five starters.

ALL STAR TEAM

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—The All Star team chosen by Jimmy McLean to play the Philadelphia world's champions prior to their probable struggle with the quarter of the National league was made public today. It follows:

Milan, cf.; Lard, 3b.; Speaker, rf.; Cobb, lf.; Eberfeld, 2b.; McBride, ss.; Chase, lb.; Sullivan and Street, c.; Walsh, White and Johnson, p.

BASEBALL GAME POSTPONED

American at Washington—Chicago-Washington game postponed, rain.



HEAVY VOTE CAST

Conservative Leader Thinks That Laurier Will Be Defeated

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 21.—That the voice of the Canadian electorate as expressed through the ballot box today would determine whether Robert Laird Borden would continue as the leader of the conservative party, or give way to another man is the opinion of many of Mr. Borden's friends. Should the conservative party fail to oust the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier from office today, Mr. Borden will have met his

parliament for the division, was opposed by Hon. A. K. MacLean and Dr. Edward Blackadder, liberals. Some prophets predicted the election of Borden and MacLean, but the leaders of both sides declined to concede the success of even one of the opposing candidates in Halifax.

A Strong Opponent

Although Hon. W. S. Fielding, the

minister of militia and defense in the Laurier cabinet, was generally conceded. He was opposed by E. Dow Foster in Kings County. Sir Frederick is well known in the United States. He is a frequent visitor to Boston. He was graduated from the Harvard medical school in 1885. He and his cousin, the conservative leader, are descendants of the Massachusetts Borden, some of whom came to Nova Scotia in revolutionary times.

That Nova Scotia is still true to its name is evident from a perusal of the list of the candidates in today's election. The lineup includes such patronymics as Chisholm, McKenzie, McKinnon, McLellan, McLean, MacDonald, McCormick, McCurdy, Cameron, Jamieson, Gillies, and Stewart.

Campaigners Busy

The province has been well covered by the campaigners. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Robert L. Borden have toured a large section of the mainland. To the last parliament the liberals sent 12 members and the conservatives six. In the general election before the last one the liberals elected a solid delegation of 15, which was later reduced to 17 by the loss of Colchester county in a special election held to fill a vacancy. In the last election the liberal candidates in Nova Scotia received a total vote of 56,555 and the conservatives 54,500. It will thus be seen that the popular vote was close.

Each side claimed that it would elect a majority of the parliamentary delegation today. Several hundred Nova Scotians residing in New England returned on American fishing vessels to vote today. While a considerable percentage of fishermen are said to be opposed to re-electing their voting strength was generally well distributed among half a dozen coast counties and was not regarded as an important factor in the result, except possibly in Shelburne-Queens, which is Finance Minister Fielding's district, where close voting prevailed at numerous points.

The liberals claim a gain of four seats due to the popularity of reciprocity, but admit a probable loss of two seats of local interest. These two are the north riding of Cape Breton county and Pictou. In the coal districts, which includes the Cape Breton districts and Pictou, the mining interests oppose reciprocity, which they fear might eventually place them in keen competition with American coal.

The storm last night cleared away at an early hour and the weather was warm and bright throughout the province. Last night was the liveliest and, ideally, that Halifax has ever seen, and the excitement continued today. A

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER, Premier of Canada.

third defeat. The conservative leader was confident this morning, however, that the government would be ousted. He had a strong opponent in Shelburne-Queens in the person of F. B. McCurdy, a banker and broker of Halifax, the betting favored the re-election of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's right hand man. Mr. Fielding has not been in good health, but nevertheless, has taken an active part in the strenuous campaign. The re-election of Sir Frederick W. Borden,

finance minister and one of those who arranged the reciprocity agreement, had a strong opponent in Shelburne-Queens in the person of F. B. McCurdy, a banker and broker of Halifax, the betting favored the re-election of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's right hand man. Mr. Fielding has not been in good health, but nevertheless, has taken an active part in the strenuous campaign. The re-election of Sir Frederick W. Borden,

FUNERALS

McMAHON—The funeral of the late Miss Mary McMahon, a most popular young lady of the Sacred Heart parish, was held today and the impressive services were attended by a large gathering of relatives and friends. The funeral took place from her late home 241 West London St. at 8:30 o'clock and the cortege proceeded to the Sacred Heart church where at 9 o'clock a solemn requiem mass was sung by the Rev. Bernard Fletcher, O. M. I. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. At the offertory "Pie Jesu" was rendered by the sanctuary choir, and as the body was being borne from the church "De Profundis" was sung by the choir. Mr. John J. Kelly presided at the organ.

Many beautiful floral pieces testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances and among them were the following: Large standing wreath on base inscribed "At Rest," from the family of the deceased; standing wreath on base of roses and white flowers from Mr. and Mrs. Venable; large standing wreath of red roses and red lilies with lavender ribbon inscribed "Forever," Mr. and Mrs. James Norton; mound of white asters with lavender ribbon inscribed "At Rest," from the family of the deceased; standing wreath on base of roses and white flowers from Mr. Joseph Baxter and family; spray of white asters and poppies with white ribbon inscribed "At Rest," from Mr. and Mrs. Heltzer; spray of white roses from Mrs. McDermott and family of Woburn; basket of cut flowers tied with lavender ribbon, Miss Florence McNulty; basket of cut flowers, Miss Margaret Baxter and Miss Rose Polly; large standing tablet of purple and white asters and roses inscribed "At Rest" from employees of the Ideal Comb Co.; spray of white asters from Mrs. Hodge and family; spray of pink asters tied with white ribbon from Mr. and Mrs. Sheltzer; spray of white asters, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald; spray of white asters tied with lavender ribbon, Mrs. B. D. Lashua and Mrs. G. Mackey; spray of white asters tied with white ribbon, Miss J. O'Brien and Miss A. Carroll, and many others.

Among the many mourners from out of town were the following: Dr. John McColgan and Mrs. McColgan of East Boston, John and James McDermott of Woburn. The cortege was borne from the church to the house by the following hearse: John McDermott, John McColgan, Patrick Gill, John Gill, William Heltzer and Thomas Flynn.

The interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where the last rites of the Catholic church were

PAINFUL INJURY

Man Hurt at Lowell Gas Works

Richard Grant, an employee of the Chelmsford Foundry company suffered a painful accident this afternoon while at work at the Lowell gas works. In school street, by being run over by a heavy truck. His toes were badly crushed and the ambulance took him to St. John's hospital.

Hip Fractured

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the ambulance was called at the American Hide & Leather Co., where a man named Patrick Grout and living at 67 Whipple street, an employee of the Aberthaw Construction company, was suffering from a fractured hip, the result of an accident. The injured man was removed to St. John's hospital.

TEACHERS' SCHOOL OF SCIENCE

Circulars marked "Please circulate" have been received at the office of the superintendent of schools from the Teachers' School of Science of the Boston Society of Natural History.

The Teachers' School of Science, a part of the university extension, offers for the year 1911-1912 a course in Physical Geography, beginning on Saturday, October 7, a course in Botany, beginning on Saturday, November 11, and two courses in Geology, beginning on Saturday, November 18. Each course will consist of fifteen to seventeen lessons.

All of the courses are very practical. The field of Physiological Botany covers the study of the growth of the plant, the special functions and work of its various parts, and its most important life-processes. A special feature of the course will be a series of experiments and demonstrations for the use of teachers, conducted with the plants grown in the laboratory. Simple and inexpensive methods of keeping plants alive under the adverse conditions of the school room, and of performing for children the experiments necessary to show the principles of plant activity, will be explained and taught.

A DAY EARLIER

This week you can buy our famous La Trinidad cigars for 5c, beginning today and continuing through Sunday. This is a genuine three-fourth quarter smoke and is so good, excepting at special sale as mentioned above, Box of 50, \$2.00. Howard, the Drugist, 197 Central street, (Telephone 663 for drug store goods, delivered free. Nothing too small.)

SEN. TILLMAN A CANDIDATE

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 21.—Senator Tillman's announcement that he was a candidate for the senate to succeed himself was made public here today, refuting recent rumors that he might refuse to run again because of failing health.

THE BARTLETT SCHOOL

Will be Given Over Entirely to Industrial School Work

The regular evening school classes at the Bartlett school will be abandoned, and the school will be given over entirely to industrial school work with both day and evening sessions. The Bartlett evening school accommodated girls and women, mostly foreigners, and they will be provided for at the Green school, and those formerly at Cheover street will go to Cabot street. Hereafter the evening sessions at the Green school were for male only, but hereafter both sexes will be accommodated.

Remember These Facts!

It has been stated several times in these columns that in order to enter the evening industrial school pupils must be 17 years of age or over and that they must already be employed in the industry or related industries in which they wish to further perfect themselves, but despite the frequency with which this information has been published, the office of the superintendent of schools at city hall is being over-run with applicants who are not eligible.

The evening industrial schools will open on the same date as other evening schools, October 9, with registration the previous week. Posters for use in mills and other places will be in the hands of the printer within a few days.

THE LOWELL HOSPITAL

Steps Taken to Have It Exempted From Taxation

The question as to whether or not the Lowell hospital is legally exempt from taxation was discussed at a conference held in the assessors' office at city hall this forenoon. Those engaged in the conference were the assessors, City Solicitor Duncan and Frank E. Dunbar, corporation counsel. The point has been raised that the Lowell hospital not being a corporation should not be exempt from taxation. For the hospital it is claimed that the training school for nurses is a part of the hospital and the school is a corporation. The hospital is assessed for \$69,150, and, thus far, has been exempt from taxation.

The question as to its exemption from taxation is a legal one, and a hearing on the question will be held before the tax commissioners at the state house at an early date.

The Lowell Hospital association was organized by the officers of the textile manufacturing corporations in 1829 and the hospital was opened in February of 1840.

FEDERATION OF LABOR

Important Resolutions Adopted at the State Convention Today

HAVERHILL, Sept. 21.—Legislation to be undertaken by the Massachusetts branch of the American Federation of Labor the coming year was taken up at today's session of the annual convention. Considerable excitement was created when a cigar stub thrown from an open window set fire to the decorations on the exterior of the convention hall building.

Resolutions were adopted calling for the election of farmers and wage earners to the legislature in the place of professional men; for a law authorizing the state to set aside small tracts of land for settlement; that the Boston women's trade union league be allowed fraternal representation in the state branch; that a representative of labor be appointed to the workingmen's compensation commission; that the C. L. U. bodies of the state cooperate in the rigid enforcement of the eight-hour law for public employees; that cities and towns do away with contract labor on public works; that bills be drawn that all double trucks be equipped with air brakes and seats for molasses; that the employment of women in unsanitary rooms of foundries be abolished and that the state branch cooperate with the domestic workers in an attempt to solve the servant problem.

James H. Menzies of Lawrence withdrew from the contest for fifth vice president, and John W. Powers of Fall River was declared re-elected.

TREASURY DEPT.

TO ENFORCE LAW CARRIED AT FOREIGN EXPORTERS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Through the appointment of a special commission which will seek information in the principal textile centers of Europe the treasury department hopes rigidly to enforce the so-called type-sample regulation requiring that foreign exporters of textile fabrics deposit at the beginning of each shipping season typical samples of their trade with customs and ports of entry in this country. W. T. Hodges of Boston, H. H. Waters and Charles Spach of New York, all of whom are engaged in the appraisal and classification of merchandise for the government at those two ports, according to an announcement today, will visit London, Paris and other European cities to determine the size, shape and number of samples which hereafter shall be required from shippers.

BUTTERNUT TREE

IN PRINCE STREET CHOPPED DOWN THIS AFTERNOON

A big butternut tree in Prince street was made to bite the dust today. The chopper's axe was its assailant, and inch by inch the giant tree was forced to its destruction. It had weathered the gales for 50 years, shutting out from the street the sun's hot rays in summer and guarding the street by winter. The grand old tree, however, exceeded its protective policy and so sheltered the street that it darkened the rooms by day. Just for that, it was doomed to die, and it was cut from the trunk by the chopper's axe that it toppled to the street and the remains played with its broken limbs. The remains will be cremated, foot by foot.

UNIFORM AUTO LAWS

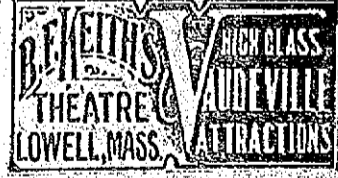
ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 21.—With a view to securing uniform automobile laws in the various states, Secretary of State Edward L. Lansing has called a conference of officials having charge of automobile matters in Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Virginia, Delaware, Maryland and Ohio to meet at his office in the capitol on Oct. 8 at noon.

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THE PRINCESS GUN METAL BUTTON SHOE, short vamp, narrow toe with Cuban heels, leather tops. Sizes 1 to 8 **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS GUN METAL SHOE—Button, new high toe, medium last, with Cuban heel. A new creation for this fall **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS CLOTH TOP GUN METAL SHOE—Button, extra short vamp, narrow toe, with Cuban heels **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS PATENT COLT SHOE—Blucher cut, wide toe, growing girls' last, with mannish heels **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS PATENT COLT SHOE—Blucher cut, short vamps, narrow toe, with Cuban heels **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS PATENT COLT BUTTON SHOES. A medium toe with high box cap and Cuban heel. A new style, only made in high price shoes **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS PATENT COLT BUTTON SHOE—Short vamp, narrow toe with Cuban heels, will fit a wide foot and high instep **\$1.98**

THE PRINCESS PATENT COLT BUTTON SHOE—Short wing tip, cloth top, narrow toe with high Cuban heels **\$1.98**

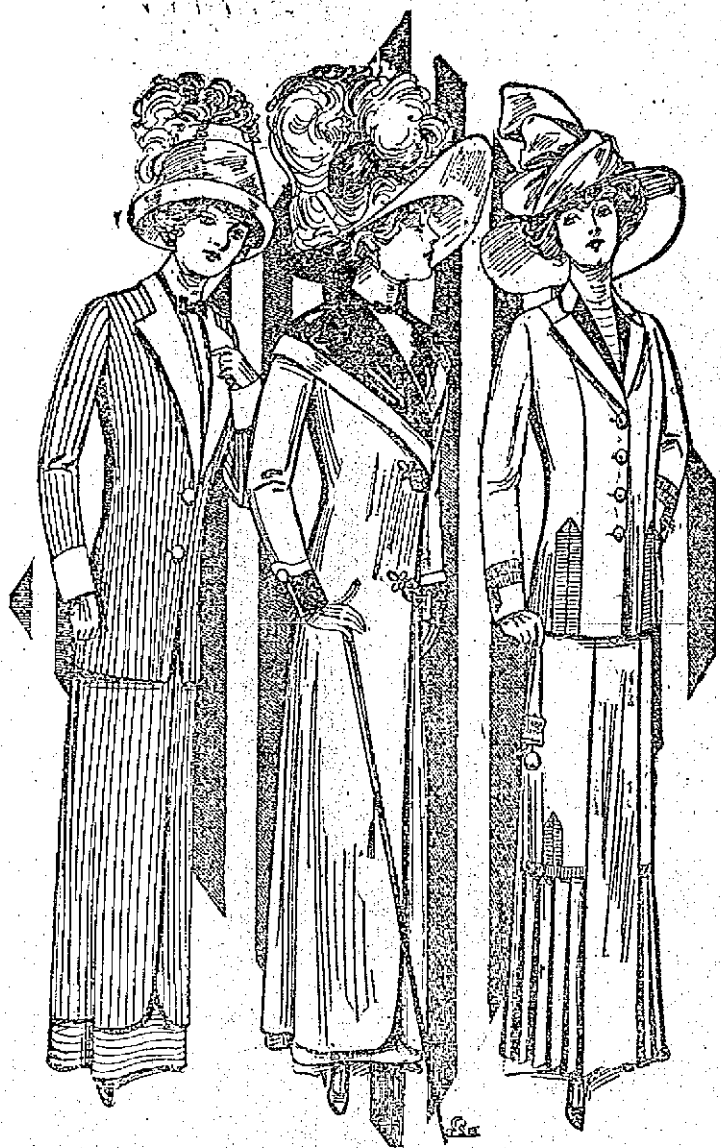
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Ladies' Sweaters

New weaves and new styles. Full lines of the latest Norfolk style sweater in red and white.

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New Neckwear

Fall styles in jabots, stocks, the new side ruffle and the newest monk collar with tassel.

25c and 48c

WEEK END SALES IN BARGAINLAND

1500 Dish Towels

All hemmed, 1 yard long. Regular price 8c. Each **5c**

500 Table Cloths

Different patterns, 2 yards long. Regular price 89c. Each **47c**

500 Roller Towels

LINEN CRASH. 2 1/2 yards long. Regular price 25c. Each **17c**

25 Doz. Ladies' Drawers

Open or closed, hemstitched. Regular and cut sizes. Regular price 19c. A pair **12/2c**

25 Doz. Ladies' Drawers

Hamburg trimmed, open or closed. Regular price 39c. A pair **21c**

A FLORIDA SHERIFF

Was Arrested Twice in New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Sheriff Livingston G. Lesley of Tampa, Fla., arrived in New York a few days ago with requisition papers for Armond Larranaga, a young Cuban, who was cashier of a cigar factory and is charged with embezzlement. The Cuban was turned over to the Tombs by a casualty company which had gone his bond to await action by the Florida authorities.

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Kills worms in children—only 25c. At All Druggists

ings, blonde and broad, and wearing a sixshooter in a holster despite the Sullivan law, and a bright, new star (not against the law), arrived in due time with the necessary papers.

Governor Dix granted the requisition on Sept. 12, but Sheriff Lesley went out to look the big town over, and with a friend got mixed up in a little difficulty down in MacDougal alley and was arrested on a charge of intoxication. He was discharged in court the next morning with a reprimand, but did not feel very good and rested for a couple of days.

Tuesday the sheriff had Larranaga transferred to the Tombs station, so he would be convenient to the Pennsylvania terminal. At 9 o'clock Tuesday night he called at the station and said he would be on hand Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock to claim his prisoner.

All day yesterday the police looked in vain for the arrival of the sheriff. They had to dig down in their pockets and provide money for breakfast, dinner and supper for Sheriff Lesley's charge. They wondered what could be detaining the sheriff.

Shortly before midnight the sheriff arrived. He was in charge of a policeman. He came from the Breslin where

he had refused to pay a taxicab bill, in the cosy cell adjoining that of his prisoner the sheriff was stowed away for the night.

GREEK PASTOR

WAS OUSTED BECAUSE HE WORE A BEARD

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The Rev. John Wolefchek, who last week took charge as pastor of St. Vladimir's Greek church in Elizabeth, N. J., was surprised by a visit of a committee of his parishioners to the parish house yesterday afternoon. The priest, a man of large stature who wears a full, white beard, was smiling when he received the committee and expected some pleasant surprise.

The spokesman of the committee rose and read from a written statement: "Greeks and Greek priests do not wear beards. We do not like them. Therefore you must go. We give you until nine o'clock tonight to leave Elizabeth forever."

Father Wolefchek was so surprised

that he could not find his voice until after the committee, with threatening looks, had left the room. He hurried to police headquarters and was able to give the names of three members of the committee. They were arrested and arraigned in police court. On their promise not to molest the priest, they were discharged, but Father Wolefchek, who is proud of his beard, declared he would leave the city at once. It is believed he will return to Detroit.

GIRL GETS \$20,000

MONEY LEFT BY UNCLE WHOM SHE HAD BEFRIENDED

LYNN, Sept. 21.—Her kindness toward an uncle she thought impoverished, nursing him after he had been prostrated by heat during the summer and remaining by him until death, has brought a legacy of \$20,000 worth of United States Steel stock to Miss Abbie L. Badger, 7 Water street, this city. The man who bequeathed this amount was Charles S. Badger, a humble Boston and Maine steamshipman, who died at the Lynn hospital recently.

Badger worked for years at Salem, invested his savings in stock without any of his intimates being aware of this action and finally went to California, where he was lost track of three years ago.

Upon returning East, he was overcome by the heat in New York, recovered after a time and was on his way to Lynn when again stricken. He was finally brought to the Lynn hospital. Upon gaining his senses he told the nurses that he had a niece somewhere in the city. Search was instituted and Miss Badger located. She came to his bedside and ministered to him until the end, though unaware of his real financial condition.

Before his death Badger had his will drawn up, leaving the stock to her. At first the young woman thought this proceeding the hallucination of a dying man, but knows better now, since she is soon to get the stock.

GOV. POTHIER

WILL BE CANDIDATE FOR A FOURTH TERM

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 21.—Governor Aram J. Pothier will be a candidate for reelection this fall for a fourth term. This he announced today after he had been induced by the republican party leaders to change his mind and consent to run for the office. He had previously announced that he would retire from political life this fall but decided to make the fight in the hope that he might see the enactment into law of measures he has fathered and worked for.

RAILROAD STATIONS

At Westford and Graniteville Entered

The railroad stations at Westford and Graniteville were broken into Tuesday night or early yesterday morning by thieves but the latter failed to secure much over \$5 in booty.

At the Westford station entrance was gained by breaking a pane of glass and unlocking the window. A telephone machine was torn from the wall and the contents taken and the machine thrown on the railroad tracks below the station.

At the Graniteville station windows were broken and the locks turned and the contents of a gun safe machine taken. Inasmuch as a pickaxe and wrench belonging in the section tool house were found at Graniteville it is thought that those were the imple-

ments used in entering the two stations and tearing the telephone box and gun machine from the walls.

According to a statement made by

Constable D. G. Boynton of Westford the thieves were in an automobile and he claims to have fired several shots at them, but they made their escape.

Health and Beauty Queries

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN

Mrs. M. D.: For short, thin hair there is nothing better to promote a healthy, vigorous growth than a good quinine tonic. But do not trust to any prepared tonic that may have been made so long as to have lost its strength. Get from any drug store an ounce of quinine and a half pint alcohol; mix together then add a pint cold water. Massage this tonic into your scalp about twice a week; it will cause dandruff and scalp irritation to disappear as if by magic, and you will soon notice your hair getting longer, thicker and beautifully lustrous. This splendid tonic is a positive remedy for falling hair.

Miss R.: You will find the following lotion a splendid skin-whitener and complexion beautifier: Dissolve four ounces of spermacin in a half pint hot water, then add two teaspoonfuls glycerine. This not only takes the place of a face powder, but you will find it far better in every respect. It does not rub off or show like powder, and benefits the skin. Apply this lotion to the face, rubbing gently until dry. It will take away that shiny, muddy, rough look and leave your skin smooth and fresh looking. This inexpensive lotion is now used largely by women of refinement and is unequalled for removing freckles, tan and skin pimples.

Mr. M.: Do not use dry shampoo powder under any circumstances. Anthrax on hair culture almost invariably contented such mixtures, as they simply clog up the pores in the scalp and cause dandruff and other scalp troubles. When your hair needs washing, use for your shampoo a teaspoonful of carboxylic dissolved in a cup of hot water. This makes a rich lather that cleanses perfectly and will leave your hair brighter, cleaner and fluffier than ever before. This soothing tonic easily dries quickly and positively will not make the hair streaky and brittle like soap does. If you will use this shampoo once, I am sure you will be so pleased that you will never care to try any other.

W. E. S.: To make your eyes clear, bright, and show the sparkle of health, dissolve an ounce of crystals in a pint of water and put a few drops in each eye twice daily. This soothing tonic is very strengthening to weak, tired, inflamed eyes and will make your eyes clear and beautiful. For sore, granulated eyes, it is splendid and greatly helps those who wear glasses.

Mrs. D. J.: You need a good, strengthening tonic and liver regulator, to purify your blood and build up

your health. Take before each meal a tablespoonful of the following: Dissolve a half cup sugar and one ounce karoene in a half pint alcohol, then add hot water to make a full quart. This home-made tonic will clear up a sallow, pimply complexion quickly, and as a liver regulator, it is simply splendid. It makes the best home medicine imaginable, and does wonders in restoring lost appetite, energy and general good health.

Veta S.: To clear your complexion and make it smooth, soft and satiny, use the following cream-jelly: Mix together one ounce of almond oil, two teaspoonfuls glycerine and a half pint cold water. Stir and let stand a few hours before using. This greaseless complexion-jelly is the finest thing you can get for reducing those large pores below your eyes and clearing up your complexion. It removes all pore-dirt, blackheads, freckles and skin pimples, and when used as a massage cream, it rubs out hollow cheeks and removes wrinkles readily.

Ellis T.: Really, you have no just cause to worry on account of those unsightly hairs, because with a little detanone and water you can make a paste, which applied to the offensive hairs and left two or three minutes then rubbed off, will remove every trace of hair. Get an ounce of detanone and use as I suggest, washing the skin after removing the detanone, and you will be delighted with results. Detanone costs a dollar an ounce, but is worth every cent, as it is unfailing.

Miss W.: I do not approve of dieting and exercising for fat reduction. The simplest and best way is to get four ounces of paraffin from any drug store and dissolve it in a pint and a half of hot water. Take a tablespoonful before each meal, and to your great satisfaction you will soon notice your fat disappearing. This harmless remedy will not leave your skin wrinkled and will not harm the original pack-ages, but care should be used and not get any on the skin where hair is not wanted.

Whitford: Don't trim eyelashes as it makes them coarse and straight. To induce a thick, silky growth, apply plain paraffin with thumb and forefinger each night. This also gives them a very strengthening to weak, tired, inflamed eyes and will make your eyes clear and beautiful. For sore, granulated eyes, it is splendid and greatly helps those who wear glasses.

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PRESIDENT W. H. TAFT

Entered on His Fourth Busy Day in Michigan

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Sept. 21.—President Taft was aroused early to enter on his fourth busy day in Michigan, the Grand Rapids program calling for every minute of his time from the arrival of his special car over the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad at 6:40 until his departure to the southern part of the state at 1 o'clock.

The president was greeted at his car by a reception committee headed by Senator William Alden Smith. Automobiles took him to the Kent county club, where breakfast was served, a large party of leading citizens being present.

Following the luncheon, the program included an automobile run to the Michigan state soldiers' home at 9:40, a speech there at 10 o'clock, an automobile drive back to the city, a speech to an open air mass meeting in Campau square at 11 o'clock, the principal

address of the day, a 15-minute talk at the Central high school at 12:20, a 15-minute talk at the Ladies' Literary club at 12:40, and a departure for Battle Creek at 1 o'clock.

It was raining dismally when the presidential party arrived, but the downpour let up before the start for the Country club.

President Taft was greatly interested in the outcome of the Canadian elections today. He realized early that the result of these elections, on which the fate of reciprocity hinges, could not be fully known until he reaches Kalamazoo tonight. The president is hardly doubtful of the result but just the same he will feel relieved when the final bulletins are shown him and he is assured that his long fight is about to end successfully. It is probable that after the election today he will put reciprocity on his speaking schedule.

PRESIDENT MURPHY

ENTERS A PROTEST AGAINST UMPIRE'S DECISION

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—President Murphy of the Chicago baseball club last night wired President Lynch of the National league to the effect that Umpire Klem was in error in calling the second game yesterday in the seventh inning and allowing Philadelphia to win 4 to 1.

"There was plenty of light at the time," declared President Murphy, "and Klem had no business to call the game."

In his telegram Mr. Murphy suggested that the league president order the game played over on Friday as part of a double-header.

WALDOLF ASTOR

COMING HERE TO STUDY ELECTION CONDITIONS

LONDON, Sept. 21.—Waldolf Astor, the self-exiled American, who sailed on the Olympic yesterday, is returning to New York for the first time in three years with the chief object of studying American political and labor conditions.

Astor brought the American dollar sign into the recent general elections. New he wants a more intimate knowledge of what Irish Nationalists are doing.

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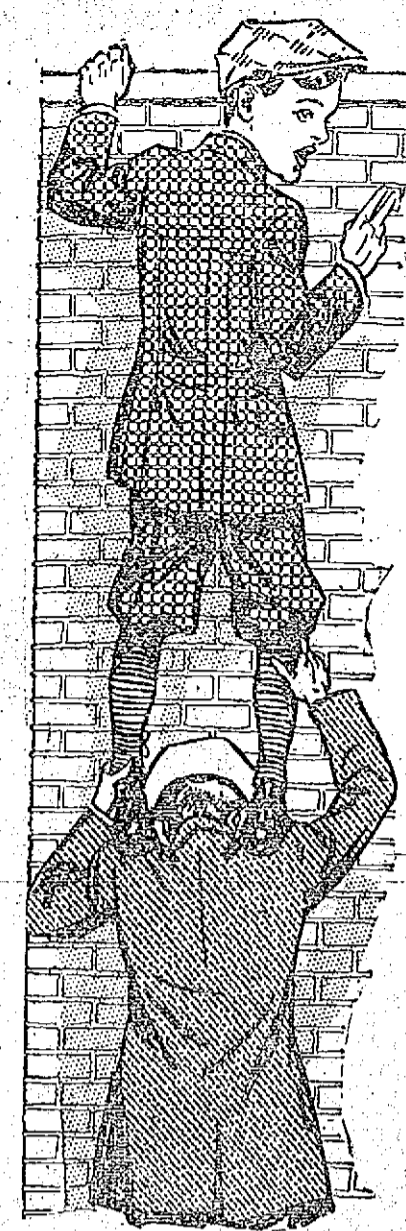
BEST CREAMERY BUTTER, lb.	28c
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\$3.75

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\$1.85

Boys' School Blouses, Boys' School Knickerbockers, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

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HEAVY VOTE CAST

Continued

dozen hands participated in the demonstration last night and it was a late hour before the city became quiet. There was little disorder in any section.

LIVELY CONTESTS

LOCAL ISSUES HANDICAPPED THE LIBERAL CANDIDATES

ST. JOHN, N. B., Sept. 21.—Election day in New Brunswick was one of the most animated in the history of the province and in every county there were contests. It was conceded that the liberals would retain Charlotte, Gloucester, Westmoreland and Victoria-Madawaska and that the conservatives were safe in York county. The opposition felt reasonably sure of Kent county where local issues handicapped the liberal candidates.

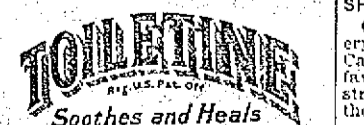
The centers of the greatest interest were St. John, Kings-Albert, Queens-Sunbury and Carleton. In St. John city the contest between Hon. William Pugsley, minister of public works in the Laurier cabinet and Henry A. Powell, formerly conservative member of parliament for Westmorland, has been a noticeable one with neither side absolutely sure of a walkover. There is a strong localist sentiment in New Brunswick, the outgrowth of American Revolutionary days when many New Englanders, loyal to the crown, removed to the Provinces, and nowhere is it stronger than in St. John. This element very largely appeared to be supporting the conservative candidates.

In the last election the minister of public works had a majority of 496 but at that time his constituency included all of St. John county. Today Mr. Pugsley stood for St. John city, where in the last contest, Dr. J. W. Daniel, conservative, was chosen by 192 majority. Dr. Daniel had a hard fight on his hands in the present election. He is a candidate today for the entire county, which outside of the city is generally liberal. Mr. Daniel was a surgeon in the Union army during the American Civil war. Mr. Pugsley's opponent is a strong debater and personally popular but he was handicapped by the expenditure of large sums of money in terminal improvements and harbor work by the government during the past few years. The minister of public works used the development of the port as his greatest campaign card. In the counties bordering on Maine and along the St. John river a pronounced reciprocity sentiment prevails but there is also a strong pro-British sentiment which in some districts offsets the strength accorded the liberals by the trade agreement with the United States.

The loyalty argument has done duty day and night for seven weeks, during which time bitter attacks have been made on Americans and it was problematical just what effect the favoring style of campaign would have. The border constituencies are Charlotte, York, Carleton and Victoria-Madawaska. In the last election the liberals carried Charlotte by 151 majority.

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HEAVY VOTE CAST

among the fishermen of Grand Manan and Camp Bello and among the farmers an increase in the liberal vote was looked for today. Carleton county, adjoining Arrol county, Maine, and an important agricultural district, was liberal last election by only 151. Victoria-Madawaska, polled up a liberal majority of 1833 in the previous contest.

The conservatives claimed Carleton today, as well as St. John, Kings-Albert, Queens-Sunbury and several other counties. The liberal majority in Kings-Albert in the last election was 351 and in Queens-Sunbury but 50. When parliament was dissolved the New Brunswick delegation stood: liberals 11 conservatives 2. The total vote in the province at the previous election was 40,716 liberals and 34,513 conservatives.

RECIPROCITY

IS THE POPULAR ISSUE IN PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Sept. 21.—Prince Edward Island elects four members to parliament today. In the last election the liberals won three seats, although the total vote was close, the liberals polling 14,436 and the opposition 14,288. Reciprocity is popular in this province.

HEAVY VOTE IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Sept. 21.—Canada is polling today the heaviest vote in its history, to register its decision as to whether the government and reciprocity are to be endorsed or defeated. All the ten provinces' polling booths were opened at nine o'clock and will close at 5 p. m. There are no voting machines, the Australian ballot system prevailing throughout the Dominion. Today's vote is being taken in the 24 of the 27 constituencies. Three of the seven which are not voting gave their decision on nomination day a week ago, returning government supporters by acclamation. In the remaining four, owing to wilderness conditions which retard official election preparations, voting has been deferred for two weeks.

Among those who deposited their ballot early were Sir Wilfrid Laurier and B. L. Borden, the opposing leaders. Premier Laurier voted in Quebec at ten o'clock and at about the same hour Mr. Borden cast his vote in Halifax. The organization of each side appeared to be working smoothly. Both sides continue to express confidence.

The betting in Montreal last night covered a wide range of odds, with liberal money most in evidence. A local paper records a bet of ten thousand to one thousand dollars that the government will be returned. Considerable money was placed at the leading hotels on even money.

A sporting authority in Montreal estimates that half a million dollars have been placed in election wagers in this city, despite a rigid Canadian statute making election betting an imprisonable offense and depriving the bettor of his vote.

Unless the vote is very close it is expected that the general result will be known accurately before 10 o'clock.

SHOWERY WEATHER PREDICTED

OTTAWA, Ontario, Sept. 21.—Showery weather is predicted for most of Canada, and this is regarded as unfavorable for the government, which is stronger in the country and weaker in the cities.

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS OUT

HAMILTON, Ontario, Sept. 21.—With rain threatening, the polls opened in this Canada's greatest manufacturing centre today under weather conditions that were by no means the most favorable and yet indications are that in both Hamilton ridings and Wentworth a record vote will be polled.

LARGEST VOTE

EVER CAST AT A CANADIAN GENERAL ELECTION

MONTREAL, Sept. 21.—Despatches from all over the Dominion indicate one of the largest votes ever cast at a Canadian general election. Workers for both parties were early in the field and long before the hour for opening the polls a long line of voters stood in line eager to cast their votes for or against reciprocity. This was particularly true in the larger cities. The interest in the rural districts, however, was not less keen and it is upon the heavy farmer vote that the government is chiefly depending for its hopes of success. From all points came the report that the election was proceeding quietly and orderly. A dominion law makes the selling of intoxicants illegal on election day, which tends to keep in check the boisterous element.

One of the closing incidents of the campaign was the mobbing of Henri Bonassa, leader of the Quebec Nationalists, at Saint Hyacinthe, Que., where he was scheduled to speak last night. A crowd of about 2000 persons waylaid him on his arrival and pelted him with stale eggs and stones, ruining his clothes but doing no other damage. The incident is supposed to have been in retaliation of the mobbing of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in Montreal by a crowd of Saint Hyacinthe, is the district now represented by Bonassa in the provincial parliament and it was supposed to be sold for the nationalists.

A Montreal French newspaper man has devised a novel scheme for letting the people of this city know the result of the election. It has arranged with the public lighting companies to shut off all the lights in the city at 9 o'clock o'clock for an interval of ten seconds if Laurier wins and for two intervals of ten seconds each if Borden is the victor. Inasmuch as more than 90 per cent of the houses of Montreal are lit with electricity, the citizen will be able to know which way the country goes without leaving their homes.

A unique feature of today's polling was the voting of 300 Chinamen in a district otherwise wholly French. These Orientals enjoy the right of franchise because they were born in Hong Kong and are therefore British subjects.

THE MISSION

AT ST. PETER'S CHURCH AT-TENDED BY MANY WOMEN

The fourth night of the mission at St. Peter's church in charge of the Augustinian Fathers, again drew forth a large attendance of women. The upper and lower churches were literally filled and the congregations were much impressed by the powerful sermons on "Scandal" delivered by Rev. Fr. Whelan, O. S. A. In the lower church, Rev. Fr. Ryan, O. S. A. in the upper. Confessions were heard till a late hour last night and this morning at both masses, 5 and 8 o'clock, communion was given to a very large number of women. Instructions were also given at both masses this morning and at 7:30 this evening the services will be resumed.



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MOROCCAN AFFAIRS

Early Settlement of the Dispute Promised

PARIS, Sept. 21.—The interview that the French ambassador to Germany, M. Cambon, had with the German minister of foreign affairs, Herr Von Kiderlen Waechter, yesterday, confirmed the French impression of the conciliatory disposition of the German government, and heightened the prospect of an early arrangement regarding Morocco.

The cabinet will meet tomorrow and examine the latest suggestions from Berlin, which, it is expected, will be received here by courier tonight.

SUES COUNTESS

DOCTOR WANTS TO RECOVER SUM OF \$1500

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Dr. Angelo L. Sorel of 20 West 47th street has brought suit in the city court to recover \$1500 from Bettie Sabatini, de Chavardez, who, Dr. Sorel says, is a countess and the wife of Gen. de Chavardez, commander of the district of Avignon. The plaintiff says that the defendant agreed to pay this sum for medical attention for her son Jehan, between July 27 and Aug. 27 last, but that she returned to France recently with her son without paying.

Dr. Sorel said that he was notified by a former patient on July 17 that a young man was ill in a neighboring house. He called and found Jehan de Chavardez under treatment by another physician for appendicitis. Dr. Sorel said that the young man had typhoid and had him removed to Miss Alston's sanitarium. At his request Dr. Sorel called the countess here and she stayed at the Ritz-Carlton.

The countess de Chavardez filed an answer yesterday through a Solicitor, Brothers, in which she says that she has no knowledge that Dr. Sorel is a regularly licensed physician and said that while Dr. Sorel attended her son his services were worth not more than \$200, which she paid.

FINED FOR SPEEDING

EAST ORANGE, N. J., Sept. 21.—For the first time since the passage of the New Jersey automobile act, Recorder Nott of this city fined a speeder \$100. In imposing the fine he referred to the charge to the Essex Grand jury yesterday by Chief Justice William S.

COMMERCIAL COURT DRAWING

attention to the fragrance of automobiles speeding and the four fatalities directly due to it within a recent period.

The man fined is Guy M. Reynolds of Reynolds & Erwin, owners of a Newark garage. He is also instructor in the Newark T. M. C. A. automobile training school. He was convicted of speeding on North Arlington avenue on Monday and refusing to obey the order of Policeman Flannery to stop. The Recorder said he considered it the duty of magistrates to impose a heavy fine, but he invited Charles J. Clancy, attorney for Reynolds, to take an appeal. It will be taken.

MAY REDUCE DIVIDEND RATE

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The board of directors of the New Haven system meets this afternoon but will not consider the reported resignation of President Mellon, rumors in the company notwithstanding, according to a statement emanating from the president's office. It is reported, however, that the possibility of reducing the dividend rate will come before the board for discussion.

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MAYOR J. F. MEEHAN**Takes Exception to Remarks by A. G. Walsh**

Mayor Meehan took exceptions to some statements attributed to Mr. Alonzo G. Walsh at a meeting of the Citizens Americans last night. In reply to Mr. Walsh Mayor Meehan made the following statement and asked the Sun to publish the same: "In his argument against the pres-

ent charter," said the mayor. "Mr. Walsh describes the present city council as 'a body whose youth, lack of judgment and knowledge were not sufficient for the proper spending of the city's money.' I consider this an impeachment against every young man in this city. From a reliable source I understand Mr. Walsh is 50 years of age. Twenty-three years ago he served as a member of the common council. Did he then believe that it was an atrocious crime to be a young man? Or does he feel that he then had more intelligence than does the ordinary youth of today?"

"In his statement that the city spends the vast sum of \$4,000,000 he

is far wide of the mark, for the city spends approximately about \$2,000,000 at the most."

BURGLARS ESCAPE**AFTER MAKING SEVERAL BREAKS AT EAST JAFFREY**

EAST JAFFREY, N. H., Sept. 21.—Burglars who are supposed to have come into and departed from East Jaffrey in an automobile Tuesday night broke into a blacksmith shop, a livery stable, the postoffice safe and the Monadnock National bank, and escaped from town without being seen, so far

as known. The only place in which they got anything of much value was in the postoffice safe. They secured stamps, money orders and a little cash. Apparently something happened to scare them away from the vaults of the Monadnock National bank after they had broken the knob off the safe door, for they left their tools in the bank and fled without getting into the vault or setting off any explosive there. There are tracks of automobile tires leading toward Monadnock mountains, and several officers, reinforced by a posse of citizens, are searching about the mountain for the burglars. The breaks were not discovered until daylight this morning.

SECY. LANGTRY**EXPECTS A SMALL VOTE AT THE PRIMARIES**

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Secretary of state Langtry is somewhat fearful that the vote cast at the primary election to be held next Tuesday will be so light as to bring about an effort to repeal the direct primary law on the ground that the public takes too little interest in it to warrant its retention. Discussing the matter today he said:

"There can be no doubt that the size of the vote cast next Tuesday at the primaries will be a factor in determining whether the new system is

to endure or whether the next legislature can be induced to repeal the act. If the people of the commonwealth really wish to nominate their own candidates directly they should come out at the primaries and show their preferences."

NATURALIZATION COURT

Court will sit at Lowell on Thursday, Sept. 28, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of admitting to citizenship the applicants who filed their final petitions for naturalization on the 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th days of June, 1911.

The clerk of the court will send notice by mail to those who are to be admitted.

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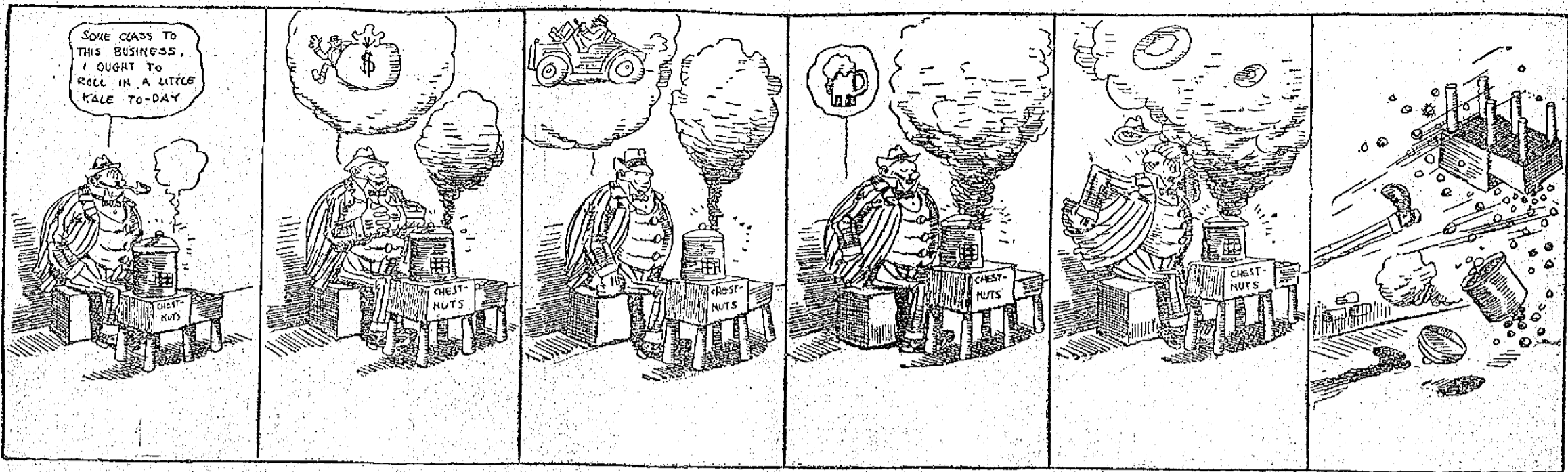
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LEADING OFFICIALS

Suspected of Having Part in the Assassination of Stolypin

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—The inquiry into the assassination of Premier Stolypin at Kiev, with particular reference to the revolutionary and police elements involved, is being conducted personally by the minister of justice, M. Choteglovitoff. Already there are indications on the part of prominent officials. Greater sensations than those so far published are promised. Vice director of the department of police, Verigin, is under strong suspicion by the authorities, who hold that he is in a measure responsible for the outrage.

The protection of the emperor and empress and the cabinet ministers at Kiev formed the subject of departmental discourse. Governor Trepoft demanded general oversight of the protective measures, but was over-ruled by the director of the department of police, M. Kurloff. Trepoft then tendered his resignation, which was not accepted. Kurloff, Verigin, Lieut. Col. Spiridovich of the secret service police and Col. Kulibakko, chief of the secret police, organized the protection, which cost \$100,000.

While Verigin and Kurloff were at Kiev on the eve of the emperor's visit, Dmitry Bogroff was consulted and given the responsible position of guarding the premier, as he promised to track supposititious terrorists, Nina Alexandrovna and Nicholas Jacobovich. It is incomprehensible to those engaged in the inquiry how a subordinate, as Verigin was, dared to disregard Stolypin's circular regarding revolutionary spies and allow Bogroff, the spy and informer, to guard the premier without even setting other agents to watch him.

Verigin was Kurloff's right-hand man and maintained close relations with Kurloff's family. Kurloff, against Stolypin's most determined opposition, married the divorced wife of a young adjutant. Stolypin made the matter one of personal confidence to the emperor, but Kurloff's influential supporters at the court over-ruled the premier.

The Novoe Vremya says that only a mere fraction of Minister Choteglovitoff's findings can ever be published. Patriotic reasons forbid the full exposure of the scandalous criminal intrigues in high governmental circles leading to Stolypin's sacrifice.

Only Gen. Trepoft's prompt measures of throwing a curtain about the theatre and checking the work of the secret police prevented the escape of Bogroff from the hands of justice. Col. Kulibakko made a strenuous but unsuccessful effort to have the prisoner kept at secret police headquarters, instead of in the fortress. Had Trepoft, the paper declares, few details of the crime would have become known.

Many alleged accomplices have been traced to the revolutionary side and a vast number of arrests are being made throughout Russia. The police have been searching in vain in St. Petersburg for a terrorist bearing the nickname of "Herrmann." A domestic search has been made of the rooms of the correspondent of a London newspaper and his brother residing in the lodgings of the liberal author, Mrs. Tsvetkova.

MAN FOUND IN FIELD Had Fallen From a Car—Assault Cases in Police Court

Jas. J. McEvoy was found in an intoxicated condition lying in a field near the corner of Seventh avenue and Moody street shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon by Patrolman Charles Hamilton and sent to the police station, where he was booked for drunkenness. He was in a terrible shape and after the arresting officer had offered testimony the defendant was sentenced to five months in jail.

According to the testimony offered McEvoy started off on a "joy ride" on an electric car the night before last. He was well supplied with liquor and might never have been arrested in this city but for an accident. While on the car he lost his balance fell out and landed on the side of "the rails" and evidently dragged himself into a nearby field. He was unconscious when found by Officer Hamilton.

IMPRESSIVE SERVICE Funeral of the Late Catherine L. Dalton

With impressive obsequies the remains of the late Catherine Louise Dalton, the talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dalton, were consigned to their final resting place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, this morning. On all sides was apparent sorrow for the bereaved family in its loss. Especially was this notable in the large funeral cortege, which left the house of mourning, 55 Nesmith street, at 9:30 o'clock and wended its way to the church of the Immaculate Conception, where at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass was celebrated by Rev. Edward J. Fox, O. M. I., the confessor of the deceased, assisted by Rev. Owen McQuade, O. M. I., as deacon and Rev. Lawrence Tighe, O. M. I., pastor of the church as sub-deacon. The choir, which was augmented by members of the other Catholic church choirs of the city, sang Schmidt's requiem mass. The solos were sustained by Prof. F. P. Hingerty and Edward Shea. At the offertory Laybaker's funeral hymn, "Pie Jesu," was sung by Edward Shea. Mr. William Gookin sang the "De Profundis" after the elevation. At the conclusion of the mass "O Meritum Passionis" was sung by Andrew McCarthy. "Quandos Corpus" taken from Rossini's Stabat Mater was given by the choir, assisted by James E. Donnelly as the body was being carried from the church. The solos of the Libera were taken by Mrs. Hugh J. Walker, who also presided at the organ. Mr. Joseph P. Courtney directed the choir.

FOUND SISTER YOUNG MAN SEARCHED FOR HER FOR FIVE YEARS

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—John McCue, 21 years old, of 1321 Southern Boulevard, has found his 17-year-old sister Mary after a search of five years. Yesterday on the return of a visit of his father and mother, Bernard H. Sandler, was informed that the House of the Good Shepherd, which had been directed to produce the girl before Supreme Court Justice Gaven, had discharged her.

JUDGE SWANN OFFERS TO AID IN EXPOSING SYSTEM PROTECTING COPS

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Judge Swann, who remarked on Monday after the trial of John Moray for larceny that he believed the six policemen testifying for the defense had perjured themselves, said yesterday that he was ready to assist Police Commissioner Waldo in making a thorough investigation of the way the police "system" works in the Union market police station. Moray was convicted of swindling a Russian immigrant, who in his story implicated Policemen Reuben R. Huntington of that station. Six other policemen from that precinct appeared at the trial and tried to break down the story of the Russian. Judge Swann said:

TEXAS WOMAN TELLS WHY SHE DID NOT WANT TO PAY DUTY

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Mrs. Horatio H. Adams of Dallas, Tex., who arrived yesterday with her two daughters and their governess, Miss Agnes M. Leslie, had put in Miss Leslie's trunk a hat she had bought in Paris for her own use. Miss Leslie declared that she was her own, including it in the \$100 worth of imported stuff she was entitled to bring in. Acting Deputy Surveyor Harris happened to discover that the hat belonged to Mrs. Adams by finding it in her own trunk a gown that matched the hat. Mrs. Adams had not declared the

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NEW YORK MARKET			
Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	53 3/4	51 1/2	53 1/4
Am. Car & Fm.	45 1/2	45	45
Am. Col. Oil	50 1/2	48 1/2	50 1/2
Am. Locom.	34	34	34
Am. Smelt & R.	66 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
Am. Smelt & R. pt.	102 1/2	102	102
Am. Sugar Ref.	115 1/2	115	115
Anacosta	34	32 1/2	32 1/2
Atchafalaya	102 1/2	101 1/2	102 1/2
Bait & Ohio	95 1/2	95	95 1/2
Br. Res. Tron	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Canadian Pac.	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
C. I. Pipe	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Can. Leather	20 1/2	19 1/2	20
Can. Leather pt.	92 1/2	92	92 1/2
Ches & Ohio	70 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
Chl & Gl. W.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Col. Fuel	26	25 1/2	26
Consol. Gas	131 1/2	131	131 1/2
Den & Rio G.	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Den & R. G. pt.	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Erle	21 1/2	20 1/2	21 1/2
Erle 1st pt.	50 1/2	50	50 1/2
Erle 2d pt.	40	40	40
Gen. Elec.	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Gen. North	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Gr. N. Ore. pt.	45 1/2	45	45 1/2
Hillman's Can.	135	135	135
Int. Met. Com.	41	41 1/2	41 1/2
Int. Mot. pt.	41	40 1/2	40 1/2
Int. Paper	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Int. Paper pt.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Int. S. Pump Co.	30	27 1/2	27 1/2
Kan. City So.	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
K. City So. pt.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Kan. & Texas	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Kan. & T. pt.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Louis & Nash	137 1/2	137 1/2	137 1/2
Missouri Pa.	35 1/2	35	35 1/2
Nat. Lead	48 1/2	48	48 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	100 1/2	99 1/2	100 1/2
N. Am. Can.	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Nor. Pacific	114 1/2	113 1/2	114 1/2
Ont. & West.	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Pennsylvania	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
People's Gas	103 1/2	102 1/2	103 1/2
Pressed Steel	27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Fullman Co.	155	155	155
Ray St. Sp. Co.	27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Reading	136 1/2	137 1/2	136 1/2
Rep. Iron & S.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Rep. J. & S. pt.	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Rock Is.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Rock Is. pt.	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
St. Paul	111 1/2	110 1/2	111 1/2
So. Pacific	108	106 1/2	107 1/2
Southern Ry.	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Southern Ry. pt.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Union Pacific	159 1/2	159 1/2	159 1/2
U. S. Rub.	37 1/2	36 1/2	37 1/2
U. S. Rub. pt.	103 1/2	102 1/2	103 1/2
U. S. Steel	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
U. S. Steel pt.	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
U. S. Steel 3d	101	100 1/2	101
Utah Copper	42 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Utah R. R.	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Wabash R.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Western Union	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Wiscon. Can.	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Further heavy selling of U. S. Steel characterized the opening of the market today. U. S. Steel dropped 4 1/2 points and the common 1 1/4. Several other industrials also declined rapidly, including Central Leather, General Electric and Pressed Steel. Car pt. of which lost a point. Utah Copper and International Steam Pump advanced a point. Trading in the railroad stocks was comparatively light and they held steady.

Speculation in the United States Steel stocks was rapidly approaching panic conditions when huge selling orders were hurried into the market to check the heading report. The first order of an hour of business United States Steel slumped 2 1/2 points on an enormous volume of selling, which placed it on a parity with the low figures of last year; the preferred 8 1/2 @ 10 1/2 and the five per cent bonds 2 1/2 @ 3 1/2. Meanwhile the railroad list declined and when the market began to rally the standard stocks rose. Union Pacific sold 1 1/2 above yesterday's closing and S. P. and Lehigh Valley 1 U. S. Steel mounted to 6 1/2 and the pt. to 10 1/2, but the market was fairly level at the rally and the gains in these stocks were cancelled. The U. S. Steel stocks fluctuated frequently within a radius of a point but the undertone in general was much improved at 11 o'clock.

Selling of U. S. Steel again unsettled the stock market today. The slump in these shares yesterday and reports that voluntary dissolution of the corporation was contemplated, resulted in the flood of selling orders from all parts of the country and prices gave way rapidly. The weakness of these issues extended to the remainder of the list but supporting orders were given to prevent demoralization and the railroad shares were relatively steady. Trading in the steel stocks dominated the market. Another outburst of selling of United States Steel shortly before noon drove it down to 5 1/2, a loss of 4 points. Amal Copper sold at 52, the lowest figure for several years.

BOSTON CURB MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Bay State Gas	19	18	18
Doston Ely	1	1	1
La. Rose	4 1/4	4	4
McKinley	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
New Douglas	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
R. I. Coal	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2

COTTON FUTURES

	Opening	Closing
September	10.73	10.73
October	10.73	10.73
November	10.73	10.73
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ELOPED WITH HER AFFINITY

At Brooklyn, New York, a certain Mrs. Saydam left her husband and eloped with a young man named Frederick Noble. The couple have been living together in New York city and they affected to be very indignant when their identity was discovered by a newspaper reporter. "What right has anybody to interfere with us? Isn't he my affinity, my soul mate?" said Mrs. Saydam. This affinity business is being industriously worked as an excuse for a violation of the marriage vows. Here is a woman who admits that she became infatuated with the young man whom she calls her affinity and even courted him into eloping. Mrs. Saydam's husband evidently has not much reason to regret his wife's departure, but she was his wife, and to disregard her marriage obligations and elope is but carrying out the dictates of passion and free love. A couple of years in jail might bring her to a sense of her duty and at the same time serve as a wholesome lesson to others.

THE PICTURE SHOWS

The police board will do well to guard against the exhibition of any suggestive pictures in the local theatres. The pictures, we understand, are first passed upon by the state police, and we are glad to find that of late there is a decided improvement in the exhibitions at the local theatres. The film companies are dropping the portrayal of crimes, and presenting pictures of a romantic character combined with scenic effects that are not only amusing but instructive. The motion pictures may be made a great source of instruction if properly used. The time will come when they will be used in the schools as a means of portraying natural scenery and atmospheric phenomena. The possibilities in this direction are immense, and it would be a pity to degrade such a grand medium of instruction by applying it to low subjects. The grandest scenery in the world, the highest ideals of conduct and the surest pathways to success can all be admirably illustrated and made clear to the youthful mind through the medium of moving pictures.

The time will come when these pictures instead of being confined to five cent theatres will be elevated so as to be used in churches and Sunday schools to bring emphatically before the minds of young and old the illustrations of scripture, the epochs of history, and the antiquities that remain as land marks of the ages.

But while the moving pictures have vast possibilities of conveying instruction and entertainment, their possibilities for suggesting crimes and instilling false notions of life into youthful minds are quite as great. It is for this reason that the picture shows should be closely watched so that nothing improper or suggestive may ever be presented to corrupt the minds of children or familiarize them with the work and the methods of noted criminals.

To allow the pictures of a woman who was the indirect cause of a wife murder in Virginia to be presented upon the stage of a theatre here in Lowell would be an unpardonable offence. The police board took the right stand in denouncing this exhibition in advance. We have heard more than enough of Beulah Binford, Evelyn Nesbitt Thaw, Florence Burns and others of the same stamp. They are not the kind of women who should be exploited as heroines to the young people who attend picture shows.

WHY DEMOCRATS SHOULD SUPPORT THE CHARTER

Editor Sun:

I would like to know, Mr. Editor if this new charter is not favored most generally by republicans for their own ends and in order to get the offices. Yours

J. E. D.

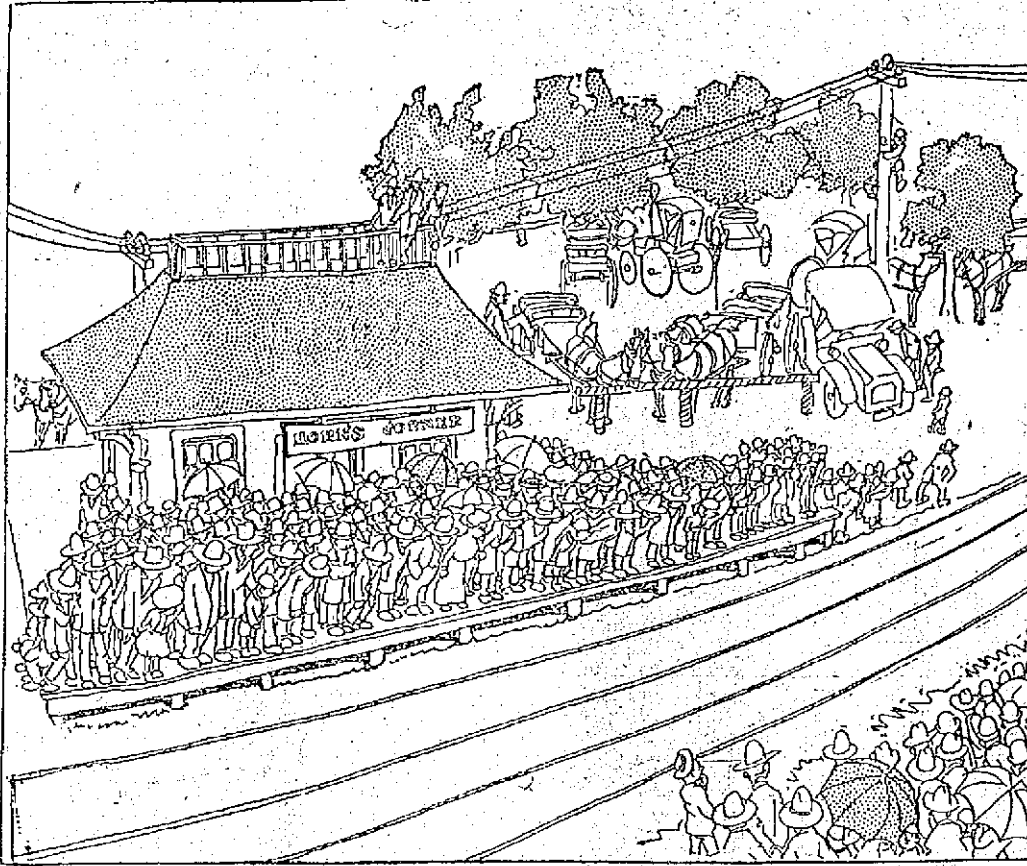
The new charter is not of republican origin. It is the Des Moines charter slightly modified in some details and it favors no class and no political party. It is a people's charter that would entirely eliminate party politics from city affairs, giving all citizens precisely the same rights and privileges.

The new charter has not been discussed from a political standpoint as yet. It is to be entirely non-partisan in its operation. Under that charter no party will be considered and, therefore, none can have any advantage unless it be in perfect equality. In that equality lies the chief advantage which should cause the democrats to vote solidly for the charter and why? Because for many years they have been deprived of the political power and prestige that a majority gives, on account of the fixed republican majority in the common council. Take the present year for example, the democrats have a majority in the board of aldermen and they have the mayor, but of what use is such a majority to them when the republicans have a permanent majority in the common council, owing to a gerrymander of the wards?

The democrats this year have been unable to elect the head of a single department except so far as the common council saw fit to concur. It is true they elected a city clerk but that was in joint convention where they had the votes. The republicans, it would appear, are now willing to have the democrats put upon a political level with themselves under the new charter; and it would appear at the present time that the democrats are determined not to favor the change. If they do not they will therefore show a lack of progressiveness that will stand against them in the future. The new charter movement will eventually sweep the country and the question is, are we to hang on to the old instrument until we shall have reached the condition in which Lawrence finds herself today—bankrupt and disgraced in the eyes of the world. We do not care to inject any partisan feeling into this charter movement because it aims at removing partisan considerations from our municipal politics, but to ally democratic opposition we may be allowed to show the democrats not as a party but as individuals that the new charter has special advantages for them that should commend it to their favor whereas by opposing it they will help to perpetuate their own subjection to republican rule under the present charter.

It does seem strange that the most democratic charter ever submitted to the citizens of any municipality should be opposed mainly by democrats. The question arises, are the people who look on the charter with disfavor acting upon their own judgment or upon the advice of some political candidate? The situation calls for the exercise of intelligence so that this charter of popular rights may not be rejected because of some minor detail that may be considered objectionable.

WAITING FOR THE TAFT TRAIN



SEEN AND HEARD

If a man loves his wife, he will quit smoking at her request; but if a woman really loves her husband, she will not ask it.

There are no new arguments in love and politics.

Not much sense is required to write poetry, but a man who understands it must know a great deal.

The supper was delicious. Mamma, whose better half had gone to his reward a year before, had been—the proper mourning-period being completed—giving her first little party. Select friends of the family had gathered about the dining table, and had enjoyed, not a "toothsome repast," or a "delectable lunch," but a good hearty supper with supplementary "fixins."

The family friends had departed, and mamma had not "retired," but gone to bed.

George, not the "friend," but the fellow to whom the daughter of the house was attached, was lingering on the piazza, under the gentle, benignant rays of the harvest moon, stretching out the last five thousand words by which he was endeavoring to expressively say "good-night" to Clemantina.

This fair, ethereal, willowily entrancing creature, to George, was imbibing his gush as if it were almost the truth.

Yes, reader, the line of talk sometimes coherently and sometimes incoherently, dished forth by George, was extremely sentimental, or, what is synonymous, sloppy.

"Clemantina," whispered he, gazing lovingly upon her full, young countenance, "didn't you notice that I pressed your dear little foot at the supper tonight?"

"Why, George, dear," murmured she, in a tone, however, not without pretension, "it wasn't my foot you pressed, O, George, I wondered then why mam-

ma was smiling so sweetly at the minister."

Teddy's mother had been taken suddenly ill one morning while he was at school. On his return, he was admitted to his mother's room for a few minutes and found his Aunt Alicia sitting by the bed.

"No, Teddy," said she, "mother has been very ill, and must not talk."

"O, my! I'm sorry, mother," gasped Teddy.

Mother smiled at him lovingly. Master Teddy seated himself on a large chair directly opposite, and after wriggling anxiously around for a minute or two delivered himself of the following speech:

"Mother, dear—now don't try to speak—but if you mean yes, not your head—this way—and if you mean no, shake your head—this way. Have you seen my baseball bat?"

A haggard man entered the office of the treasury solicitor, and waited diffidently for an hour to get a word with him. Finally he obtained audience with the official, who asked him what his business was.

"I've educated the government!" whispered the haggard man, nervously fingering the hat in his hands. "And you want to get a word with me—this way—and if you mean no, shake your head—this way. Have you seen my baseball bat?"

"No, no; none of those things," said the official, looking at the haggard man with a postoffice savings bank, perhaps.

"No, never had anything to do with a bank."

"Did you overcharge on a contract?" "Not that, either."

"Then how did you cheat the government?" "Why, you remember the census, don't you?"

"Yes, yes; go on," said the solicitor. "Well," hissed the man, looking over his shoulder furtively, "when the census man came to my house I didn't give him my middle name."

Not of the future, far away. Shall we be thinking most today. Nor of the vanished yesterday. But of the golden Now and Here.

If with a hope that lights our lips—Peeling our faith to the finger tips—We do a neighbor are just and true. So shall his neighbor acclaim him, too.

It is enough to serve and teach. Then shall we shape our purpose right. Then shall the whole wide world be bright.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Brooklyn Times: Dr. Weldon, dean of Manchester, and one of the noted educators of Great Britain, has sounded a note of warning that might well be heeded on this side of the water. It is that the great universities are making entrance examinations so hard that only the sons of those who have sufficient means to send them for several years to preparatory schools for that purpose can pass. This means that the poor boy is practically unable to attain the free scholarships offered.

THE JUMP IN SUGAR

Fall River Globe: This jump in the price of sugar comes at a most inopportune time, just when the thrifty housewives are busy putting up their winter supply of jams and preserves. It is to be feared that the crop of these commodities will be short in a good many households, as a consequence, along with that of the sugar-beet and cane, to which is ascribed the big advance in the cost of sugar.

LOSS CAUSED BY DRY WEATHER

Brooklyn Enterprise: One who wears like an expert says that the "back to the land" movement in New England has received a serious setback this year. The frightful weather conditions have cost farmers a lot of money and have put a crimp in the ambitions of those who had been thinking of leaving their work to emigrate.

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THE FAMILY OBJECTS

But the Wedding Plans Will Not Be Changed

NEWTON, Sept. 21.—By advertisements published yesterday afternoon in newspapers here and in Beverly, Edward P. Hurd of Newtonville, vice president of the United States Machine Company, and one of the directors now under indictment, practically disowns his son, Malcolm Hurd, and makes known publicly that the latter's forthcoming marriage is without his approval.

The advertisements followed the appearance of invitations to the young man's wedding, which is set for Oct. 25.

Malcolm Hurd is engaged to marry Miss Ellen Beatrice Church, who resides with her guardian, E. A. Wild, a lawyer well known as counsel for the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, at 225 Mill street, Newtonville, only a short distance from the Hurd residence.

The advertisements were similar in both instances, reading as follows: "598 Walnut street, Newtonville, Mass."

"Take notice! To whom it may concern—The proposed marriage of Malcolm Hurd is against our best judgment and advice and without our approval. It was requested to see that no invitations nor announcements were sent to any of his family, as they were not desired, would not be accepted, nor would any attend the ceremonies, and also to refrain from sending either of the same to any of the family's personal or business friends."

Having disregarded our expressed request, we are compelled to advertise these facts, that all receiving such shall be absolutely at liberty to treat them as each may feel personally desirable, unblinded by all other considerations. Edward P. Hurd.

Hurd Now in West

Mr. Hurd, who is rated as one of the wealthiest men in this city, declined last night to make any further statement regarding the unusual case. "I do not want anyone 'butting in' to my personal affairs," said he.

His son, he said, is now in the western part of the country. Miss Church, it was said at 225 Mill street, was not at home last evening, and it was added that her guardian, Mr. Wild, could not discuss the matter.

"We have absolutely nothing to say," Mrs. Wildie told a reporter, and she declined to affirm or deny that her son, who is engaged to the young people in Newtonville, was said that invitations for the wedding were sent out on Monday, and that the prospective bride had declared that the wedding would take place as planned.

Miss Church has resided in Newtonville five years, coming here from her home in Nova Scotia, where her father is a clergyman. For several years she has been a nurse, although she was never graduated from a training school. She has an attractive personality and enjoys a wide acquaintance among young people here.

Both Miss Church and young Hurd are about 23 years old and are well known socially in this city.

Rector Engaged

The wedding is announced to take place in St. John's Episcopal church in Newtonville, where Miss Church is an attendant. The rector, Rev. Richard T. Loring, has been engaged to perform the ceremony.

HUNGRY CREW

HAD TO GRIND WHEAT TO GET FOOD

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Capt. Pattison of the British steamship Bloemfontein, which arrived last night from the far east, reported that he had supplied provisions and water to the British bark Indian Empire, which had been 160 days in passage from Adelaide, N. S. W.

The Bloemfontein sighted the bark Sept. 10 in N. lat. 40 deg. 12 min., W. long. 19 deg. 20 min., flying signals of distress. Everything eatable in the larder had gone, but the men did not fear starvation, as a large part of the cargo was wheat and the ship's coffee mill made crude flour.

Capt. Ward of the bark and Capt. Pattison of the Bloemfontein several years ago were on the British training ship Port Jackson and had not seen each other since.

By the time the bark reaches Falmouth, England, her destination, she will have been half a year in passage, having made but one port, St. Helena, where provisions were purchased. Several casks of beef were bought there at \$26 a cask. The meat was found to be uneatable and had to be thrown away.

The Bloemfontein came from Calcutta and Colombo with a cargo of hemp, tea, gunnies, hides, spices and curios for Boston and New York.

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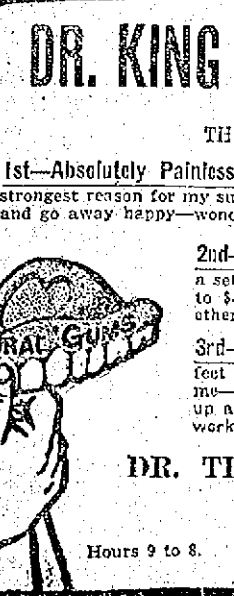
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SEARS WAS SENTENCED

Former Police Officer Was Given Year in House of Correction

Eben W. Sears, Jr., a former police officer in Lynn and later an aspirant for the office of mayor of that city, was arraigned before Judge John McLaughlin in the criminal session of the superior court at East Cambridge yesterday afternoon on a complaint charging him with extortion. Through his counsel, James H. Vahey, he entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to one year in the house of correction at Cambridge.

Lawyer Vahey pleaded that his client be placed on probation and afterwards that the sentence be suspended, but the court refused to do so and shortly after the sentence was passed Sears was escorted across the street to the house of correction to start to serve his year.

The charge against Sears was that he extorted money from Hugh Ferguson, proprietor of the St. James hotel of this city, claiming that he had evidence of violations of the law, against Mr. Ferguson which he was willing to "let go" if Mr. Ferguson would come forward with the "long green."

It appears that Sears spent some of his time in this city trying to secure evidence of illegal sales or violations

of the laws in the hotels. Several months ago he sent letters to Mr. Ferguson requesting that the latter meet him. Mr. Ferguson had a talk with Sears and the latter said that he had evidence of violations but that if Mr. Ferguson would "come up" with some money he would not press the matter.

Mr. Ferguson said that he would purchase the evidence and told Sears to call around at a later date. In the meantime Mr. Ferguson reported the matter to the police and on the day that the money was to be passed, Lieut. Martin Maher and Inspector John Walsh were in a room adjoining that where Mr. Ferguson and Sears had their conversation. What the officers overheard was sufficient evidence for them to place Sears under arrest, they having heard Sears bartering with Mr. Ferguson as to the amount to be paid and Sears finally agreeing on not pressing the matter if \$40 was paid him.

Sears was arrested after a slight struggle with the officers and when brought before the court in this city was held for the grand jury and subsequently the grand jury indicted him.

30,000 QUIT WORK

Men Employed in Building Trades Went on Strike Today

MADRID, Sept. 21.—The men employed in the building trades of the city obeyed the strike order and quit work today. Thirty thousand men are involved.

The militia holds the capital in a close grip and acting under the authority of the imperial decree suspending the constitutional guarantees, the government is maintaining a firm attitude toward the labor leaders, who, it is claimed, are being used by revolutionaries to further a campaign of violence against the state. No disturbances were reported in police headquarters up to early afternoon.

Despatches from the provinces reporting the general situation throughout the country are closely censored, but apparently the prompt and fearless course adopted by the government has been successful in heading off anything like a general suspension of industrial activity which might develop into a revolution. All suspected persons are under surveillance. Many houses have been searched, arms seized and the streets are filled with political suspects and rioters. The king remains in the capital. The premier said last night that the government would respect the right of the workmen to strike so long as they pursued lawful methods, but he made it clear that if

the employees of the public services quit without having given the notice required by law summary measures would be taken to end the movement.

MAN THOUGHT DEAD TURNED UP IN COURT ALIVE AND WELL

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—Lewis Panamaze, alive and well, appeared in the municipal court yesterday despite the belief that he had passed away in his little garret in the west end in the presence of his friends. His friends believed it, the police felt certain of it and his counsel at that time was also convinced, but Tuesday Patrolman T. J. Mahoney of station 2 arrested him on a charge of robbery which has been hanging fire since last June, about the time Panamaze "died."

Panamaze was wanted in connection with a robbery on Howard street, June 8, and was being sought as an accessory. He was relieved of \$50 by William R. Breen. Breen was in court yesterday morning, in prison garb, and said that his "risen" friend had nothing whatever to do with the Howard street job, but Judge Bennett found probable

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A NAVAL INQUIRY

Into Cause of Collision Between Olympic and British Cruiser

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 21.—The White Star liner Olympic, which was damaged by the cruiser Hawke yesterday, left her moorings early this morning and assisted by six powerful tugs made her way slowly back to the dock here. Great crowds watched the passage of the steamer into the harbor, while the passengers who had spent a comfortable night aboard lined the rails. Special trains were waiting for the first and second class passengers, many of whom were going to London to await the sailing of other vessels on which the company had obtained accommodations for them. It is expected

that all of these will get away within ten days. The American liner St. Louis will take some Saturday and others will go on the Holland-American steamer Noordam Saturday. The third class passengers will proceed on the St. Louis and the Majestic. As soon as her cargo has been discharged the Olympic will be patched up sufficiently to enable her to proceed to Belfast, where the repairs will be completed. A naval inquiry will be held at the accident, but the decision of the naval court will be withheld until the civil courts decide the question of damages as between the two vessels.

WERE SLAIN IN BED

Six Persons Were Found Dead in Their Homes in Colorado

COLORADO SPRINGS, Sept. 21.—Butchered in their beds with an axe, the bodies of six persons, three in each of two neighboring houses, were found yesterday. The heads of all had been smashed in and they had been dead several days.

A report that the murderer had been caught and had confessed, was denied by the police, who feared a lynching. An axe which had been loaned to Mrs. Henry Wayne, one of the victims, by J. R. Evans, a neighbor, last week, was found, blood-stained, by Mrs. Evans on Monday near the back door of the Wayne home. No attention was paid, as it was thought the axe had been used in killing chickens.

The dead are: Mrs. Alice May Burnham, wife of A. J. Burnham, cook at the Modern Woodmen Sanatorium; their children, Alice, aged 6, and John, aged 3 years; Henry F. Wayne, a consumptive, until recently a patient at the sanatorium; Mrs. Wayne and their 1-year-old baby.

The discovery of the bodies was made by a neighbor who called at the Burnham home. Getting no response and noticing a strong odor, she forced an entrance.

Burnham, who lives at the sanatorium, cause and bound Panamaze over for the grand jury in \$2000. Panamaze obtained his release before on the plea that he was dying of consumption.

SLEPT 64 HOURS

MISS ENGLISH OF MALDEN IS CONSCIOUS AGAIN

MALDEN, Sept. 21.—After having been asleep 64 hours, during which time she was practically lifeless, Miss Mary English, a trained nurse, awoke yesterday at her home, 201 Emerald street. Although at first it was believed that she was suffering from having taken a headache powder, later it developed that she suffered from brain trouble. She gives indication of rapidly recovering and is getting along very comfortably.

Sunday Miss English was afflicted with a severe headache and took a powder which she purchased at a drug store. She went to sleep soon afterward and efforts to awaken her were of no avail until yesterday, when she opened her eyes and spoke to her mother, Dr. C. D. McCarthy stated that it was an affection of the brain and that the patient will recover soon.

Miss English had just completed duty Saturday on a typhoid fever case, and when she first was taken sick it was thought that she might have contracted the disease.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The members of the local division of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America met in regular session Tuesday night at their rooms in the Union Bank building in Merrimack street. President Henry J. Draper occupied the chair and there was a large attendance. Mr. Draper made a brief address on matters of interest to the members.

One proposition for membership was received and one candidate was initiated. A committee of four was appointed to run a smoke talk in October, the following members being selected: John McLaughlin, Michael Ryan, Joseph Garrity and Edward Tucker. Dr. President Draper, as delegate, is preparing to attend the meeting of the local conference committee, which takes place the first Monday in October, in Boston.

Knights of Pythias
A committee from the Lowell lodge, No. 24, Knights of Pythias met and completed arrangements for the reception of the grand lodge, which takes place the first Monday in October, in Boston.

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Scotch Lace Curtains, \$2.75 value, pair	\$2.25
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SCRIM CURTAINS

Scrim Curtains, plain, with hemstitch, others with cluny, flut and lace trimmings, white, cream and ecru,	49c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.25, \$2.49, \$2.98 up to \$7.50 pair.
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NET CURTAINS

Cluny Curtains with edges and insertions made on double thread French net,	\$1.50, \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.49, \$2.98 up to \$5.50 pair.
Marie Antoinette and Braided Curtains, made on double thread net,	\$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.49, \$2.98, \$3.49, \$3.98 up to \$6.00 pair.
Irish Point, Swiss and Brussels Curtains, all new imported fall styles, in plain and allover centers, wide and narrow borders, made on fine double thread net,	\$4.49, \$4.98, \$5.49, \$5.98, \$6.49, \$6.98 up to \$12.00.

BED SETS

Muslin and Net Bed Sets,	\$4.50 to \$8 per set
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MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Door Panels,	49c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25
Window Shades, white and colors, complete with fixtures, each	25c
Curtain Rods,	5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c and 25c
Swiss Curtain Muslin, 40 inches wide, worth 25c, yard	15c
Sash Curtains, fine quality muslin, ready to hang, pair	19c and 25c
Fish Net, 36, 40 and 45 inches wide, worth 25c, yard	12½c
Scrim, plain cream and ecru, with lace edge and hemstitch, 40 inches wide, worth 50c, yard	39c
Scrim, fancy, colors, new patterns, worth 25c, yard	17c
Cross Strips Scrim, 36 inches wide, worth 12½c, yard	5c

COUCH COVERS

Couch Covers, in Oriental and Roman styles, 60 inches wide, 3 yards long, with fringe or gimp edge,	\$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98, \$3.50, up to \$10.
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PORTIERES

Portieres, 50 inches wide, 3 yards long, with fringe or gimp edge, in solid red, green, brown and mixed colors,	\$1.98, \$2.45, \$2.95, \$3.45, \$3.95, \$4.45, \$4.95 up to \$20 pair.
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TABLE COVER

4-4 Table Covers, each	29c
8-4 Table Covers, each	98c

RUG and FLOOR COVERINGS

27x54 inch Japanese Rugs, each	25c
36x72 Fibre Rugs, samples, each	39c
27x54 Axminster Rugs, each	\$1.95
36x72 Axminster Rugs, each	\$2.75
36x63 Wilton Rugs, each	\$5.00
27x54 Wilton Rugs, each	\$3.50
18 inch Stair Carpet, yard	15c
24 inch Stair Carpet, yard	19c
27 inch Stair Carpet, yard	49c

LINOLEUM and OIL CLOTH

Oil Cloth, heavy quality, filed back, square yard	29c
Oil Cloth, best grade, in straw matting patterns only, worth 50c, sq. yard	39c
Linoleum, heavy English quality, subject to slight misprint, worth 75c, sq. yard	49c
Linoleum, heavy inlaid, worth \$1.00, sq. yard	85c

ROOM SIZE RUGS

9x12 feet Japanese Rugs, worth \$5.50, each	\$2.98
9x12 ft. Crox Grass Rugs, very durable, each	\$7.95
9x12 ft. Tapestry Rugs, extra heavy quality, seamless, worth \$19.00	\$14.00
9x11 ft. Velvet Rugs, soft pile fling, worth \$22.00	\$15.00
9x12 ft. Bigelow Axminster Rugs, slight mismatch, worth \$32.00	\$18.50
Bigelow Wilton Kymrie Rugs, size 9x12 ft., worth \$40.00, sample patterns	\$28.00
Bigelow Arlington Rugs, size 9x12, sample patterns, worth \$10.00	\$30.00

SHEETS, BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS

11-4 Blankets, wool nap, worth \$2.50, pair	\$1.69
11-4 Blankets, wool nap, worth \$3.00, pair	\$1.98
11x4 Blankets, worth 98c, pair	79c
Comforters, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.75, \$1.98 up to \$5.50.	
Bed Spreads, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.75, \$1.98 up to \$5.00 each.	
72x90 Sheets	49c
81x90 Sheets	69c
90x108 Sheets	98c
54x90 Sheets	49c
63x90 Sheets	59c
42x36 Pillow Slips	10c
42x36 Pillow Slips	12½c
45x36 Pillow Slips	15c
42x55½ Pillow Slips	19c
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DANGER OF A FAMINE

Rice Crop in the Philippines Has Failed

MANILA, Sept. 21.—Danger of a famine in the Philippines on account of the failure of the rice crop has become so threatening that Governor General Forbes today decided to order the purchase by the government of an entire shipload of the cereal in Rangoon. The cargo will be sold to the people at cost.

ELUDED POLICE

MAN CUT HIS WAY OUT OF JAIL

WOODSVILLE, N. H., Sept. 21.—One of the most daring breakers ever perpetrated at the county jail has just come to light and which took place last Sunday night, having been kept from the public, hoping for this that the prisoner would be captured. The man who made his escape is Robert P. Sanders, alias Frank Davis, who June 15 held up the bookkeeper and robbed the office of W. D. Veazey & Co. at West Thornton. A man by the name of Howard, his alleged accomplice, is now in jail awaiting trial. Sanders was arrested in Boston early in August, and placed in the jail here.

There is no question but what he had outside help in planning and making his escape, for he left behind in his cell a hacksaw, a keyhole saw, possession of which was gained by taking his bed flat, punching it through a window, when the saws were fastened to the slot and returned to the prisoner. He made his exit by sawing a bar in his cell, which led him into the corridor; then he sawed his way into the outside corridor by cutting another bar. From the corridor he cut a window bar, made a hole in the window and escaped to the outside of the jail. He was furnished with a loaded shotgun by his outside friends, and with the aid

of his revolver he frightened a neighboring prisoner. Sanders' wife is working in a hotel here. No clue to the prisoner or his assistants have been discovered as yet.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Ralph Clifford Morgan and Miss Stella May West, both of Concord, N. H., were married yesterday at 11 o'clock, by the Rev. Benjamin A. Willmott, at his residence, 416 Beacon street. The young couple were unattended and after a short wedding tour will make their home in Concord.

WIDGER-BRIGHAM

The marriage of Mr. Thurlow S. Widger, Harvard '11, of Brookline, and Miss Eleanor M. Brigham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Brigham of 112 Princeton street, was solemnized last night by the Rev. Charles T. Billings of this city, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's parents. The officiating clergyman was assisted by the Rev. E. F. Hayward of Marlboro.

The bride was attended by Miss Claire B. Dechert of Schuylkill Haven, Pa., as maid of honor, and Miss Josephine T. Sackett of Providence, R. I., Miss Sarah S. Clarke of Providence, R. I., Miss Cora B. Jordan of Middletown, N. Y., and Miss Eleanor Widger of Brookline, as bridesmaids. Mr. Robert D. Morse, Harvard '11 of Marlboro, was the best man. Mr. Robert Brigham, Mr. Harold C. Tomlin, Harvard '09, of Marlboro, Mr. William R. Morrison, Harvard '10, of Boston and Mr. Carl G. Brigham, Princeton '12 were the ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home which was attended by many of the friends of the bride and bridegroom from Lowell, Marlboro, Boston, Providence, Brookline and cities in New York and Pennsylvania. Mr. and Mrs. Widger left early in the evening on a short wedding journey after which they will reside in Dorchester.

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NEW CITY CHARTER



ALONZO G. WALSH



THOMAS J. GOYETTE

Was Discussed at the Citoyens Americans Club Last Night

Again the rooms of the Citoyens Americans club in Dutton street were well filled last night, the occasion being the third smoke talk of the season, the feature of which was an interesting talk on the new proposed charter, the speakers being Messrs. Alonzo G. Walsh and Thomas J. Goyette, who did their very best to enlighten the French speaking voters on the topic of the day. These men spoke very interestingly on the question and their remarks were well received, although at times they were interspersed with hot arguments, the audience having been told at the opening of the meeting that all proper questions would be gladly answered by the speakers.

At 8 o'clock the hall was literally filled with red hot politicians and voters, some coming to learn a few things on the new form of government, while others well versed in municipal affairs were there to ask a question or two. Seated on the platform besides the two speakers were: Senator Joseph H. Kilham, Representative Eison, B. Barlow and George E. Marchand, Councilman Henri Achin, Jr., and Inspector of Buildings James Dow.

The meeting was opened and presided over by Albert Bergeron, president of the club, who introduced as the first speaker, Mr. Alonzo G. Walsh, who began his talk with a few anecdotes, then referring to the Canadian election, proclaimed Sir Laurier as the winner, this last remark being received with vociferous applause. From this he plunged into a criticism of a previous speaker who had made the statement that the charter was not suited for a city like Lowell and that the said proposed charter had been started by a clique of aristocrats, and that the charter itself is a bad one. Mr. Walsh then replied to these remarks as follows: "In replying to the written statement of my friend, I must say that it is entirely wrong. The men who bring the charter to your attention are men of your class, they are common every-day men like yourselves." The word clique is all nonsense. When the previous speaker says that the charter is a bad one, I agree with him, for 138 cities, 24 of which have a population of over 40,000 and over 14 a population of over 50,000, have adopted the same form of government that we propose, the Des Moines charter. This proves that it is not a new thing and that it has been tried before. The present form of government is not democratic, not representative, and you French speaking people do not have the representation you would have in the new form of government.

"There are 15,000 voters in Lowell, and the French people form one-tenth of the vote. Eliminate the party destruction and it leaves the French to vote for the French."

He then gave several statistics, giving the auditor's report of the appropriations for the year 1910, when a vast sum of money was expended to run the city. He wound up by saying that the men serving on the new government commission would have to be honest and efficient because the voters will know and see what they do. At the conclusion of Mr. Walsh's address there was an intermission during which time Mr. Amable Brunneau playfully entertained the audience with comic songs, refreshments being also served.

Mr. Walsh took the stand again, this time to respond to questions put to him.

"1st—Because we need a change, and the charter seems to answer our needs."

"2d—It abolishes party line."

"3d—It gives a short but good program."

"4th—It is a concentration of power like the largest business firms such as insurance companies, railroads, etc."

"5th—The responsibility of the administration of municipal affairs rests on a small body of men."

"6th—It is economical, one dollar producing one dollar and a half."

"7th—With it there are chances for lower tax rates, many cities having proven this under the new form of government."

"8th—It calls for a general election, it abolishes ward bosses and party machines."

"9th—It separates the license commission from the police commission."

"10th—It privileges the school board to say how and where the schools should be built."

"11th—It abolishes conflict between departments."

"12th—By its adoption there is a fine and a jail sentence for over expenditure from appropriation funds."

"13th—It calls for public monthly statements of all transactions and financial situation."

"14th—The head of a department can be shifted to another department for better administration."

"15th—The office appointments are made by five men instead of one."

"16th—Monies are expended in this affording good, select men."

"17th—There is the referendum to push such movement as the public will."

"18th—There is the recall to punish or create a fear to excite honesty."

"19th—It will be the first chance in years for the public to vote for a change in politics. The first chance for the people to administer their own interests."

Mr. Goyette in giving his reasons spoke straight in to the point and made a good impression on his listeners. He then answered several important questions, among which were the following: "Is it true that street and water department employees will lose their places if the new charter is adopted?" "Is it true that foreigners from out of town are drafted here to do city work if the new charter is adopted?" "Will the municipal council of five have the power to build up a political machine to hold them in office?"

To each of these questions the speaker answered to the best of his ability and in to satisfactory manner. On the recall question a few repetitions were exchanged between the speaker and Mr. Cheney, the latter declaring he did not know of a man who would sign a petition asking that a friend of his be removed.

All in all, the meeting was one of the most interesting ever held in that hall, and the large attendance was greatly pleased with the information given by the two speakers of the evening, who made a very good impression.

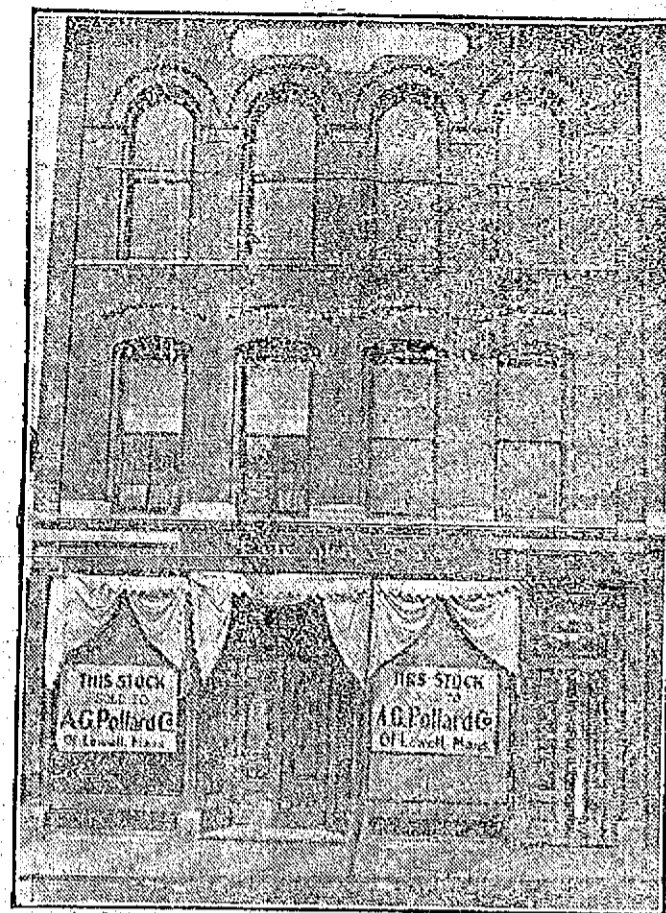
The committee in charge of the affair composed as follows: Albert Bergeron, chairman; J. E. Guilford, secretary; H. Arvils, John Durand and Ferdinand Rousseau. The refreshment committee was as follows: Trefle Bordelieu, George Polletier and Louis Gignac.

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Bleached Domest Flannel, good fine quality, Maxcy price 50c yard, at.....60c yard

Blue Domest Flannel, full piece, Maxcy price 10c, at.....7c yard

Heavy Twill Domest, Maxcy price 12 1/2c, at.....8c yard

White Wool Flannel: 25c value at.....15c yard 25c value at.....17c yard 35c value at.....20c yard 35c value at.....25c yard

Outing Flannel, large assortment of patterns, good heavy bleached, Maxcy price 10c yard, at.....6 1/2c yard

LINEN COUNTER

Brown Linen Crash, good heavy quality, Maxcy price 8c, at.....5c yard

Bleached Linen Crash, good absorbent quality, Maxcy price 10c, at.....6c yard

Bleached and Unbleached Crash, colored border and plain white, full piece, Maxcy price 10c, at.....8c yard

Turkish Towels, Maxcy price 10c, at.....7c each

Huck Towels, good heavy quality, Maxcy price 10c, at.....7c each

Extra Large Linen Huck Towels, Maxcy price 10c, at.....12c each

Cotton Damask, bleached, very fine quality, Maxcy price 25c, at.....20c yard

Mercerized Damask, very fine quality in handsome patterns: Maxcy price 30c, at.....30c

Maxcy price 50c, at.....40c

Linen Damask, Maxcy price 60c, at.....60c yard

Linen Damask, Maxcy price 80c, at.....65c yard

Fast Color Damask, Maxcy price 50c, at.....33c yard

8-4 Mercerized Table Covers, Maxcy price \$1.00, at.....69c yard

10-4 Mercerized Table Covers, Maxcy price \$1.25, at.....89c

8-4 Fast Color Table Covers, Maxcy price \$1.00, at.....69c

10-4 Fast Color Table Covers, Maxcy price \$1.25, at.....89c

12-4 Fast Color Table Covers, Maxcy price \$1.50, at.....89c

60 Good Large Crochet Spreads, first quality, Maxcy price \$1.50, at.....\$1.20

35 Fine Satin Finish Spreads, in handsome designs, Maxcy price \$2.50, at.....\$1.50

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COTTON BLANKETS

Full 10-4 Cotton Blankets, white and gray, Maxcy price 65c, at.....55c pair

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11-4 Heavy Cotton Blankets, white and gray, Maxcy price \$1.00, at.....80c pair

Wool Nap Blankets, white and gray, Maxcy price \$1.50, at.....\$1.19 pair

Heavy Wool Nap Blankets, Maxcy price \$2.00, at.....\$1.39 pair

COMFORTERS

Heavy Comforters: Maxcy price \$1.50, at.....\$1.25 Maxcy price \$2.00, at.....\$1.50 Maxcy price \$2.50, at.....\$2.00

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Bates Gingham, all new patterns, plaid, stripes and checks, Maxcy price 12 1/2c, at.....10c yard

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Fine Apron Gingham, Maxcy price 8c, at.....6 1/2c yard

Etamine in remnants, handsome patterns, Maxcy price 10c, at.....10c

Bleached Cream and Arabian Checked Serim, Maxcy price 12 1/2c, at.....8c yard

Fine Curtain Muslin, Maxcy price 10c yard, at.....8c yard

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40-Inch Lawn, Maxcy price 10c, at.....8c yard

Fine India Lawn, Maxcy price 10c, at.....8c yard

Very Fine India Lawn, Maxcy price 25c yard, at.....15c yard

COTTONS

Bleached Cotton, 32 inches wide, Maxcy price 6c yard, at.....4c yard

36-Inch Bleached Cotton, Maxcy price 8c, at.....6c yard

Maxcy price 10c, at.....7 1/2c yard

Hill Cotton, Maxcy price 12 1/2c, at.....8c yard

Seamless Sheeting, bleached: Maxcy price, 3-0, 30c, at.....20c yard

Maxcy price, 3-4, 32c, at.....24c yard

Maxcy price, 10-4, 34c, at.....26c yard

Atlantic Tubing: Maxcy price, 36 in., 15c, at.....11c

Maxcy price, 42 in., 18c, at.....12c

Maxcy price, 45 in., 20c, at.....13c

Lonsdale Cambric, Maxcy price 12 1/2c yard, at.....10c yard

Brown Cotton, full piece, Hudson, Maxcy price 10c, at.....8c yard

Cherry Mountain, Maxcy price 8c, at.....6c yard

Remnants of Brown Cotton: 32 in., Maxcy price 6c, at.....4c yard

36 in., Maxcy price 8c, at.....5 1/2c yard

40 in., Maxcy price 11c, at.....7c yard

Bleached Sheets, 72x90, Maxcy price 50c, at.....33c

Bleached Seamless Sheets, 80x90, Maxcy price 50c, at.....55c

Brown Sheets, 81x90, Maxcy price 60c, at.....39c

LACES

Fine Valenciennes Lace, Maxcy prices 50 and 10c yard, at.....3c yard

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Point de Paris Lace, Maxcy prices 10c to 20c yard, at.....6 1/2c yard

Fine Embroideries, Maxcy prices 6c to 50c yard, at.....4c yard

Embroideries, Maxcy prices 10c to 12 1/2c, at.....8c yard

All-over, Maxcy prices 35c to 60c yard, at.....20c yard

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Ladies' Neckwear: Maxcy price 10c, at.....5c

Maxcy price 25c, at.....15c

Handkerchiefs: Maxcy price 5c, at.....3c apiece

Maxcy price 8c, at.....4c apiece

Maxcy price 12 1/2c, at.....9c apiece

Maxcy price 25c, at.....15c apiece

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Ladies' Jersey and Ribbed Vests, Maxcy price 15c, at.....10c

Ladies' Jersey Vests, regular and extra sizes, Maxcy price 20c, at.....15c

Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Maxcy price 50c, at.....35c

Ladies' Union Suits, Maxcy price 25c, at.....15c

Ladies' Waists: Maxcy price 75c, at.....35c

Maxcy price \$1.00, at.....59c

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OPERA HOUSE

At the Opera house tonight Harry Kelly's production of Campbell and Skinner's successful musical comedy, "His Honor the Mayor," with Harry Kelly in his original role of Deacon Flood, in which he appeared at Wallack's theatre, New York city for a run of over six months and has since appeared in nearly every city on the continent. "His Honor the Mayor" is too well known to the public to make it necessary to enlarge upon the mirth provoking qualities of the piece. It will suffice to say that the piece ran with unvarying success for five seasons. Mr. Kelly is adding a new and elaborate revival and is meeting with all the success due to his foresight, address being greeted with packed houses, wherever he has played.

Mr. Kelly is surrounded with an exceptionally strong cast all of which played in the original production and a chorus famous for its beauty and vivacity.

New costumes and scenery, made expressly for this tour which will probably be the last season of this remarkable laugh-provoking performance at the Opera house tonight.—Adv.

"THE GIRL IN THE TAXI"

When "The Girl in the Taxi" comes to the Opera house for an engagement of two nights beginning tomorrow was but in rehearsal, the greatest care was taken to overlook not even the smallest detail in equipment and stage.

sphere. The first and third acts of "The Girl in the Taxi" occurs in the beautifully appointed home of John Stewart at Riverside Drive, New York. The second act of "The Girl in the Taxi" reveals the elaborately appointed private dining rooms of New York's best known restaurant where the elite of the metropolis congregated after the theatre to enjoy the midnight supper which is as much a part of a New Yorker's evening entertainment as the play itself. Permission was granted the stage director and artist to copy these rooms as faithfully as the Riverside Drive apartments and the result is shown in the second act of the play. In this scene, however, two rooms are shown instead of one, which permits of the development of the funniest climax ever devised on the stage. John Stewart, the banker who pretends to possess all the domestic virtues in his home, is making merry with a party of chorus girls. In the adjoining room, Bertie Stewart, his son, is keeping his first "date" with a woman whom he had but recently met. The climax comes when the father, overflowing with the joy of his midnight lark, decides to invite the people in the next room to join his own party and, upon opening the door, discovers that the chief reveller is his own innocent son.—Adv.

"THE NEST EGG"

The first performance here of Anne Caldwell's new American comedy "The Nest Egg," which will serve to intro-

duce Zaida Sears as a star in this city, will be given at the Opera house, Monday, Sept. 25.

Although never having appeared at the head of a company, Miss Sears is well known to the theatregoers of this city, having played the comedy roles in almost every play written by the late Clyde Fitch, from the days of "Lovers' Lane" to "The Blue Mouse."

"The Nest Egg" was written for Miss Sears. The cast includes many familiar names among which are Charles Lane, Charles Gotthold, Julian Barton, H. Bratton Kennedy, Walter Young, Blanche Hall, Evelyn Varden, Helen Lindroth and Beatrice Allen.

The cast and production are the same which characterized the long run of this play in New York city at the Bijou theatre, and the Chicago Opera house, Chicago, Ill., and comes to Lowell direct from a very successful engagement at the Park theatre, Boston.—Adv.

"THE NEWLYWEDS"

Countess Olga Von Hatzfeldt, in "The Newlyweds and Their Baby" company, which comes to the Opera house next week is the perfect image of Mrs. Newlywed. She is pretty, has a handsome figure and possesses a splendid voice, which she uses with rare effect.—Adv.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

"His conception of the life in the frozen north, during the gold fever

time is as complete and as graphic as the casual reader would wish it to be."

This quotation is taken from the comment of a noted book critic after reading the book on "The Barrier," the dramatization of which is being given by Donald Meek, the versatile actor, of the Donald Meek stock company, with his associate players at this playhouse, this week. Rex Beach, the author of the book, is one of the most popular novelists of this country and his various works descriptive of the life and conditions of the inhabitants of the great northwest and the frozen north, besides being extensively read in this country, have met with much favor in Europe and other foreign countries.

The offering of the company next week will be "Naughty Rebecca," considered to be the funniest farce on the American stage. This farce, which brings an old flounder who has been a greatly comical surroundings and situations the first night he spends at Burns' cafe, acquiring his first "jag."

Before he leaves the house for his justification his wife departs with the intention of remaining up all night with her sister, who is ill. When his wife is safely out of the way he goes to the cafe and forms the acquaintance of an actress, who, after having the old fellow order a large supper and two quarts of the best champagne, leaves him and does not return. After waiting sometime for his "friend" the man starts drinking the champagne and eating the palatable dinner before him, and in a few minutes is a sight to

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behold. Two young married women attire themselves in opera cloaks of the same style and color and go to the restaurant for the purpose of trapping their husband. When they are inclined to believe, have gone to the cafe instead of the opera. The wife of the old man happens to have a cloak of the same design as the ones worn by the young wives, and this is appropriated by her maid, who also is a part of the troupe. Wishing to see her prettiest she "borrowed" a bracelet belonging to her mistress, which she loses at the cafe. It is found by a gentleman who returns it the following morning, and this is where the farcical happenings and explanations commence. Mr. Meek will portray the old man, and will furnish the usual cloying comedy. Miss Horton, Mr. Kellows and Mr. Walsh, a Lowell boy, will have characters which will give them opportunities to show their ability.—Adv.

THEATRE VOYONS

Today the Theatre Voyons shows as one of the features of the Pathé. The illustrated news film auto races recently held in Elgin, Ill. and at Bordeaux, France. They furnish a most interesting comparison between the French and American road courses. Only those who have personal knowledge of the French courses can appreciate their difficulty and the thrilling nature of the contests held on them. Another feature in President Watt and the G. A. R. veterans in their annual encampment at Rochester, N. Y. railroad men will be especially interested in two wreck pictures taken in New York showing the wreck which caused the death of 25 veterans on their way home from Rochester and the other in Middletown, Conn.—Adv.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Of the many first-class offerings seen at the Merrimack Square theatre during the present season, few can compare with the excellent bill being presented at this popular playhouse this week. Miss Isabel McKinley, the talented singer, who is entertaining a brace of songs, is delighting her audiences afternoon and evening. Her numbers vary, from the more classical pieces to the latest in popular songs, and the program is sure to satisfy the fancy of all. One of her own latest compositions, "I Want a Girl," promises to become popular. They're whistling it on the street, and that's a sure sign of its general popularity. The presentation of Henry D. Colledge's favorite one-act play, "For Him," by the members of our stock company, is without doubt one of the best short story plays in vaudeville. Its interpretation by Kendal Weston and the other members of our stock company is very cleverly done and is receiving general approval from all sides. The staging of the piece is very pleasing. The other numbers on the week's bill, Nelson and Millidge, Ed Winchester and Miss Anna McMahon, all share in the week's honors. The photo plays are changed today. Telephone 2053.—Adv.

KEITH'S LOWELL THEATRE

If you are contemplating attending any of the coming performances of this week at Keith's new theatre in Bridge street you had better procure your tickets while there's a chance of selection because those who have seen the bill which Manager Will H. Stevens, is given have passed the word about it to their friends and neighbors that it is "a good bill" and the remaining performances for today, tomorrow and Saturday will without doubt be attended by large audiences. Heading a bill replete with feature acts is the legitimate comedy, star, Rose Coghlan, who after attaining a position with the leading actresses in this line of work has forsaken the legitimate for the vaudeville stage. She is presenting a one act sketch from her own pen and which she has called "Between Matinee and Night." She is assisted by her daughter, who has also had some experience as a thespian, having played the part of the girl station agent in "The Travelling Salesman," for several seasons. The others making up the excellent bill are Leo Carullo, monologist; Thomas Mohr and company in his play, "The Jeannet;" Illida Hawthorne, ventriloquist; The Great Santel, in feats of strength; Boulden and Cutler, entertainers and Kit Carson, sharpshooter. Several reels of the latest photo plays close the bill.

Yesterday afternoon Manager Stevens announced his bill for the next week and the show will have as its head Dr. Carl Hermann, known as the wizard of electricity. During his act Dr. Hermann lodges more than enough volts of the "juice" in his system than would be required to kill six ordinary men. The purely scientific character of Dr. Hermann's act is enough to make it a stellar attraction. Among the other acts are: Harlan Knight and company, "The Rube From Maine," with his true to life sketch, "The Chalk Line." Mr. Knight was born and bred in a little village near Koppelunkport, Me., and acquired his love for the stage life through association with actors who used to spend their well season recuperating on his father's farm. It is said that the act is based on an actual happening which occurred in the general store of his home town. Mr. and Mrs. Allison will give "Minnie from Minnesota." The twain after having spent years with the "What Happened to Jones" company, from which the act is taken, gave up membership with the company for the sole intention of giving the act in vaudeville. The act is said to be screamingly funny, and it has gone big wherever it has been given. The other acts are John Neff and his "Star in the Laughable Satire," "The Bachelors' Musical;" Roeder and Lester in a marvelous exhibition of gymnastics; Harry Pantelle and Viola Vallorie, elite entertainers; and Emmet Brothers, "The Dancing Boys." Concerts will be given Sunday afternoon and evening, and including four acts and five reels of moving pictures.

Tickets may be ordered in advance by phone 28. There are no reserved seats sold for the Sunday concerts. The prices are: 30 cents for the main floor and first balcony, and 10 cents for the second balcony, and the patron is entitled to any seat.

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- Women's Black Cashmere Hose, high spliced heels and double soles, full fashioned, 50c quality. Sale price25c Pair
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- 1 lot Irish Point Curtains, \$4.50 value, for3.49 Pair
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- 1 lot Cluny Curtains, white and Arab, \$2.00 value, for1.49 Pair
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- 1 lot Portieres, red and green, \$3.75 value for2.75 Pair
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Celery..... 8c

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Sugar Cured Hams, lb..... 16c

Rump Butts, lb..... 8c and 9c

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY



HERNANDO CORTES BIRTHDAY
SEPT. 21.—Hernando Cortes was born at Medellin, Spain, September 21, 1485. He was educated for the law but didn't like it. Instead he became a soldier and adventurer. His first journey into the new world landed him at Santo Domingo where he lived for seven years. When Velasquez was sent to conquer Cuba Cortes went with him, rendering such good service that he was rewarded with great estates, and was made alcalde of Santiago. When Mexico was discovered by one of Velasquez's lieutenants, Cortes was furnished with 500 men and enough cannon to make it interesting for anyone who disputed the idea that the world was made for Spain and Charles V. Cortes landed on the site of Vera Cruz and then set out for the City of Mexico. He was received with great kindness by Montezuma and the people, but trouble ensued and Cortes had the best of the argument and of other things. Charles V. made quite a tiny son out of Mexico but Cortes fell into adversity or before the end of his days and died in obscurity and seclusion.

LOCAL NEWS

Political printing at Tobin's. Vespers tonight at beat house. Try Lawler's for Printing, 29 Prescott. Head & Shaw, Milliners, 35 John St. J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone. Chester Field has returned to Ann Arbor, Mich., after spending his vacation with his parents in this city.

Dr. and Mrs. Oswald Menard, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Burke of Nashua, N. H., were in town yesterday.

Mr. Alderio Plante of Manchester, N. H., was visiting friends in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Russell of Royal street are at Wells beach, Me., where they will remain for three or four weeks.

Miss Theresa Kelley of No. 1 Deane street and Mrs. D. B. Dismore of Concord, N. H., are spending a few days visiting relatives in New York.

Mrs. C. H. Smith, her daughter Elizabeth and son Chester of 80 South Whipple street have returned from a vacation spent at Hampton beach.

A month's mind mass for the repose of the soul of the late Patrick J. Cahill will be celebrated at St. Mary's church, Collinsville, Friday morning at eight o'clock.

Miss Jennie Fitzgerald has returned from a six week vacation during which she visited her brother in Danbury, Conn., and other relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Cunningham of Crowley street, Master Clarence Cunningham, Burton H. Crosby and Miss Margaret Ferris have returned from an automobile tour through New York state.

The Cheever street school in charge of the Gray Nuns of the Cross of St. Joseph's parish was opened yesterday with an attendance of 151 children ranging in age between four and seven years. In a short while the babies will be taken in and the place converted into a day nursery with four women in charge. However, the two classes will be kept for the little ones two young to attend the regular schools.

A. J. Wickley, new physical director for the Y. M. C. A., was given a reception and hearty welcome last night by members of the association. There were speeches, music, lunch and general good time. The chairman of the evening was Mr. Hoyce, and the speakers included Walter Russell, Alderman John W. Day, Renfred Cumb, Dr. Yarnell, Victor Meister, Mr. Hill, William Coulter, Mr. Bariss and Arthur Provencer. All of the speakers gave hearty welcome to the new instructor and he voiced his appreciation of the enthusiasm shown by the members. He gave a brief outline of the gymnasium work as planned for the winter and stated that the first class would begin work next Monday. Music was furnished by Messrs. Fred Rolfe, Harry Esley and John Gilchrist.

FUNERALS

TALBOT.—The funeral of Mrs. Helen J. Talbot took place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her residence, 16 Ware street. The services

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were conducted by Rev. George F. Keimigott, pastor of the First Trinitarian Congregational church. Delegations were present representing Puritan chapel, No. 54, Order of the Eastern Star, James A. Garfield Woman's Relief corps, No. 33, Asiatic lodge, New England Order of Protection, Union lodge, Daughters of Rebekah and the Ladies' auxiliary of the Grand International Brotherhood of Railroad Engineers. The bearers were George H. Bush, Herbert D. Goodnow, Fred M. Perkins and Herbert O. Lewis. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Henley.

STASZ.—The funeral of Wladyslaw Stasz took place Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of his parents, Piotr and Zofia Stasz, 31 Davidson street and proceeded to the Holy Trinity church, where at 3 o'clock services were held. Rev. Fr. Ogonowski officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

HILL.—The funeral of Dr. Almon H. Hill was held at his home in Concord, N. H., Wednesday at 11 o'clock. Rev. John Vanuier officiated, and the Trinity quartet rendered "Gathering Home," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "Sleep, Thy Last Sleep."

There were delegations present from Concord lodge of Elks, Nathaniel White council of American Mechanics and Concord lodge, K. of P.

The bearers were Messrs. T. R. Boyce, N. E. Martin, C. S. Sinclair, E. C. Dutton, Dr. E. J. Delaney and F. R. Roberts.

The body was brought to Lowell accompanied by Concord lodge of Elks and prayers were held at the Edison cemetery chapel at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. C. E. Fisher conducted the services and members of the Elks acted as bearers. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery. J. A. Weinbeck was in charge.

POWERS.—The funeral of the late Jeremiah Powers took place Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 115 Bridge street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where interment was in the family lot. The bearers were Messrs. Thomas Hackett, William Welch, Frank Dunn and Thomas Allen. Undertaker James W. McKenna in charge.

SMITH.—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Smith took place this morning from the home of her daughter, Mrs. James McKeown, 17 T. Lawrence street, at 9:15, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where a high mass of requiem was sung at 9:30 by Rev. Fr. O'Brien. The choir sang the Gregorian mass and as the body was borne from the church the choir sang "De Profundis." Miss May Whitley and Mr. James B. Donnelly sustaining the solos. Mrs. Josephine McKennedy presided at the organ.

Among the many beautiful floral tributes were a large wreath tied with purple ribbon from Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McBride and family; large wreaths of roses from Mr. James P. Smith of No. Groverdale, Conn., and Thomas Smith of East Greenwich, R. I.; spray of roses from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McCoy and family; spray of roses from Mrs. James Duffy of River Point, R. I.

The bearers were John Brady, James McBride, Arthur Antares and John Downey. In attendance at the funeral were James P. Smith of North Groverdale, Conn., Thomas Smith of East Greenwich, R. I., and Mrs. James Duffy of River Point, R. I. The body was forwarded on the 11 o'clock train to Crompton, R. I., where interment will take place in St. Mary's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge.

FUNERAL NOTICES

McCLUSKEY.—The funeral of Francis Joseph McCluskey, will take place on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of his parents, John and Mary (McHugh) McCluskey, 40 Union street. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough in charge.

SPRAGUE.—Died in this city Sept. 21, at St. John's hospital, Clarence Hulsch Sprague, aged 62 years. Funeral services at Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford, at 10 o'clock Saturday forenoon, Sept. 23. Friends invited.

DEATHS

McCLUSKEY.—Francis Joseph McCluskey, aged 6 months, beloved child of John and Mary (McHugh) McCluskey, died this morning at the home of his parents, 40 Union street.

RYAN.—William Ryan, aged 72 years, died today at his late home, 31 Rockingham street. He is survived by a wife, Christiana, three daughters, Mrs. R. J. Miller, Sherbrooke, Que., Mrs. Edward Garneau of Lowell and Miss Eva Ryan; three sons, Frank of Pepperell, Willie of Jonesboro, Ark., Edwin of Philadelphia; two brothers, John of Manchester and Edward of Newport, Vt.

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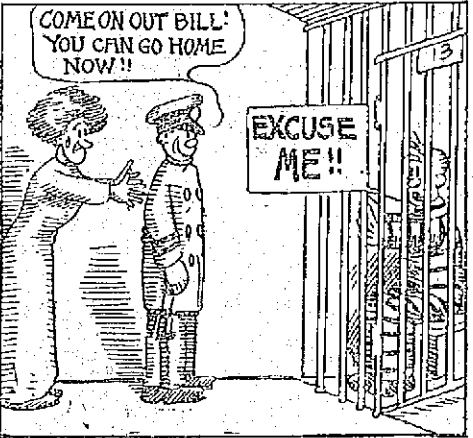
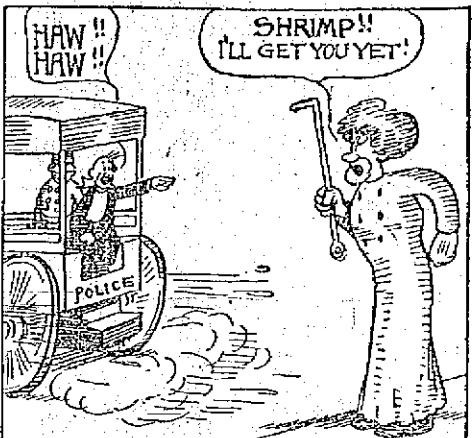
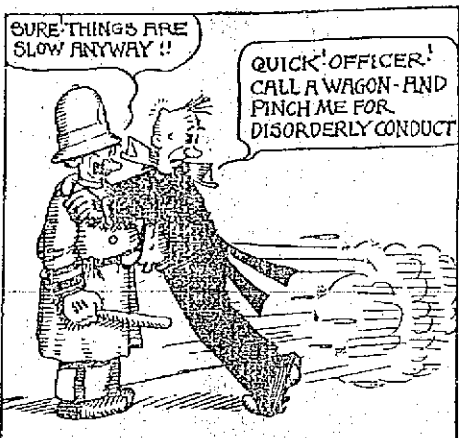
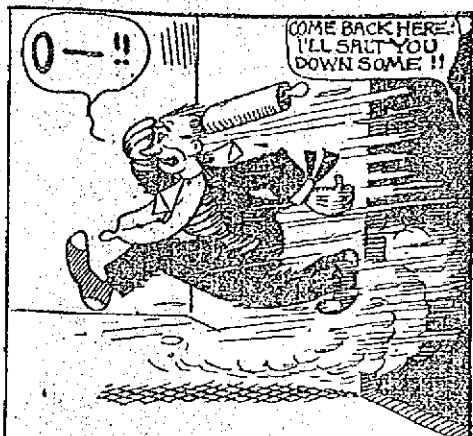
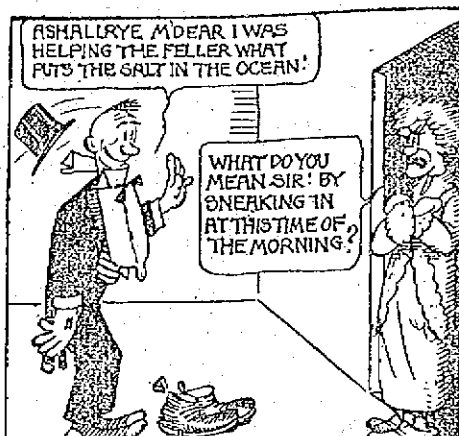
NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—Carl Peck, acting president of the Hardman-Peck Piano company, received injuries yesterday which may prove fatal, when a six-foot plank which was thrown from the top of a new building he was constructing at 636 West 49th street, struck him upon the head. The manufacturer was rushed to Roosevelt hospital in an automobile. Late last night an operation was performed, after it was found that the skull was fractured.

The police started an investigation, after being informed that two laborers had thrown the scuffling from the top of the building, but were unable to determine whether the injuries to Mr. Peck were accidental or otherwise. They had failed to locate the workmen, who will be questioned if found.

When Dr. Diller, the house physician of the Roosevelt hospital, discovered the seriousness of the injuries sustained by the wealthy manufacturer, he consulted Dr. Brittenheim, the family physician. The latter assisted at the operation. Mrs. Peck and her two sons hurried to the hospital at 9 o'clock last night.

During the evening Mr. Smith, private secretary to Dr. Peck, last night expressed the opinion that the injuries would not prove fatal. He said Mr. Peck had gone to the building, which is being erected as an annex to the main factory, to inspect some machinery and rosewood that had been imported for the finishing. He took was passing the rear of the building when he was struck down. A workman found him several minutes later, bleeding and unconscious, with the timber lying across his body.

EXCUSE ME!



CONFUSION IN MARKET

Was Caused by the Selling of United States Steel Stocks

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The stock market was thrown into confusion today by the selling of United States Steel stocks on an enormous scale. From almost every part of the country orders poured in to sell the stocks of the "billion dollar combine." Confusion prevailed on the floor of the exchange as brokers struggled with each other around the steel post to dispose of their holdings and prices crumbled rapidly. By noon the preferred stock, long a favorite of investors, slumped 54 points to 19 1/4, its lowest price since 1903. The common fell to 59 1/2, a loss of four points, its low record since 1909. On Sept. 1 the preferred sold at 115 and the common at 70. During the forenoon transactions in steel stocks exceeded yesterday's total of 250,000 shares.

The long slump in United States Steel is generally ascribed to the fear of many investors that dissolution of the corporation may be necessary in order to comply with the federal government's views in regard to enforcement of the anti-trust law. President Taft's speech on this subject at Detroit on Monday increased uneasiness on this score. Reports of the kind are, however, without any known basis in fact. At the headquarters of the corporation no statement could be obtained on the subject today.

Chairman H. Gary arrived at his office at noon and declined to make any statement in connection with the report that the corporation would voluntarily dissolve.

"If I could say anything I would willingly do so," said Judge Gary. The chairman declined to comment on the report that wages of the steel employees would be reduced.

"The decline in the steel stocks, following yesterday's slump in the same issues, caused considerable alarm and prices gave way rapidly elsewhere among the industrials. Bethlehem Steel pfd., Republic Steel pfd., General Electric and Union Bag & Paper pfd. lost from 1 to 2 points. The standard railroad shares held comparatively steady.

Chairman Gary and various officials of the steel corporation held several conferences behind closed doors at the corporation's offices today.

Mines' tonight at boat house.

TO RESUME WORK

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On Sale Tomorrow Morning

PALMER STREET BASEMENT

MANY WERE INJURED

Trolley Cars Were in a Collision at Holliston, Mass.

HOLLISTON, Sept. 21.—Three persons were seriously injured and a dozen others received slight wounds when two trolley cars on the Milford & Uxbridge street railway crashed together head-on at the summit of Whitney's Hill late yesterday.

Passengers on the cars declare that the heaviest of Motorman E. J. Livingston in sticking to his post saved many from being killed and many others from serious injuries.

The seriously injured: E. J. Livingston, of Milford, motorman, both legs broken, back badly wrenched, internal injuries, cuts and bruises, Milford hospital.

David Mollen of South Framingham, fractured ribs and multiple bruises; Framingham hospital.

William H. Means of Chelsea, right leg fractured, arm broken and others injuries; Framingham hospital.

Mrs. Mary Gilmore of Dorchester and Mrs. Emma Jones of Sherborn, other passengers suffered many bruises and

from the shock. With other passengers they were taken to Framingham hospital given treatment and later sent home.

A high embankment wall between two turnouts on a curve at the top of Whitney Hill, prevented the motorman from seeing each other's cars. The south-bound car, bound for Holliston, was a heavy, double truck, semi-conductor, and it crashed through nearly half the front of the lighter single truck car, north-bound for Framingham which was being driven by Livingston.

According to the railway officials, the accident was caused by a mix-up in orders, but whether there was a conflict or misunderstanding, has not yet been determined. Despite the dangerous turn at the point where the cars collided, one of the cars should have waited until the other reached the turn-out and had given the signal for the other to proceed.

Motorman Livingston of the smaller car realized the danger to the passengers and stuck to his post, holding the controller brake firmly on the out-of-the-joint when the cars collided.

He remained unconscious from injuries until taken to the Milford hospital.

PERRY ST. SMOKE COMMITTEE WILL GIVE HEARING THIS EVENING

The joint special committee of the city council appointed to investigate the matter of smoke and dust nuisance in vicinity of Perry street will give a hearing at city hall this evening, September 21, at 8 o'clock.

All interested parties are invited to be present and give information.

FRANK M. DOWLING, Clerk of Committee

DR. W. E. HICKS

The Eye and Foot Expert of 137 Central street, has removed to 139 Merrimack street, near State St., until the new block is completed.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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On the premises, regardless of weather, I shall offer for sale this 2 1/2 story house of 8 rooms and about 3300 square feet of land. The house is in very good condition. There are 4 rooms with each tenement and rents for \$7.50 each, making a total rental of about \$30 a year. The location is first class for the renting of small tenements as there are a number of large industries within 5 minutes' walk.

Now, then, this parcel is one that should interest the man of moderate means where he could occupy one tenement and have the income of the other. Remember the sale will be absolute on the premises on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 3.30 o'clock.

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